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Rodney and David Caron of Carmel Road, took advantage of the late season snow storm Tuesday to participate in an old-fashioned snow battle. The youngsters had plenty of opportunity for snow frolicking as the storm cancelled school classes on Wednesday.

Winter Gives Us A Final Blast (We Hope)

A brilliant sun Wednesday morning was about the only harbinger of spring around, as winter gave what is hopefully its valedictory blast in the form

Political Advertisement

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of an old fashioned nor'easter Tuesday.

The substantial snow, rain and wind gusts made for difficult driving conditions, cancelled meetings Tuesday night and closed schools on Wednesday.

With plenty of advance warning about the threatening storm, many scurried for the hearth early and, except for Boston auto commuters, were off the streets early, thus allowing town snow removal crews good clearance to get at the storm early.

No accidents of a serious nature were reported to police, with the exception of some

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A quiet, but active political campaign winds up Monday when close to 14,000 Andover voters will be eligible to choose two new selectmen, two members of the school committee and a new representative to the Regional Vocational School committee.

The largest turnout of candidates in recent years is expected to draw out a good vote on Monday with seven seeking two vacancies on the board of selectmen, six asking election to the two spots open on the school committee and two for the one spot on the Voke school board.

Polls will be open from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the town's six precincts.

As has been customary in Andover, the campaign has consisted of getting out and meeting the voters at coffee sessions held in private homes and appearances at some public forums, particularly the League of Women Voters Candidates night program held Monday at West School. (Details, pages 24-25)

Two vacancies exist on the board of selectmen where Selectmen George E. Heseltine and Edmund J. Sullivan, Jr., are not seeking re-election.

Campaigning for the three year terms are Richard J. Bowen, former town manager; Donald T. Coleman, consumer protection representative; George W. Connors, Jr., president of his own consulting service; George F. Lannan, Jr., electrical engineer; Stanley J. Nabydowski, farmer and solid waste contractor.

David R. Ahouse is seeking election to a full three-year term on the school committee. The research scientist was elected a year ago to fill a vacancy and will be seeking to

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Postal Meeting Held

Decisions on the site of the new Andover post office may be nearing.

Despite efforts such as petitions being signed next Monday protesting relocation of the post office out of the central business district, and a meeting Wednesday night at the library on the subject, a conference was scheduled for Wednesday afternoon by post office officials on the Andover matter.

George Walker, regional director of the U.S. Postal Service, had a scheduled meeting with real estate division officials Wednesday afternoon.

The session was scheduled for after TOWNSMAN presstime of 3 p.m.

At a meeting over a week ago, postal officials rejected four alternate sites in the downtown area for the new post office. Walker informed local authorities that the department still found the Sidney P. White property on Andover street as the prime spot for the new mail processing facility.

Rejected were the former Purity Supreme on Park street and Grants in Shawsheen Plaza, at the request of the property owners: a Park street location

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Town Report Published As Townsman Supplement

The annual Town Report supplement to the TOWNSMAN is contained in this week's edition.

The 16-page report includes major activities of the town for the past fiscal year.

Purpose of the newspaper style and facility was initiated by Town Manager J. Maynard Austin as a means of providing a wide coverage of municipal activities of the past year through the TOWNSMAN, with a circulation of over 4,200.

The annual statutory statistical report is also published and available at the town hall.



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New Industry May Expand

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A new Lowell Junction Industrial tenant may be planning expansion of its facility, after only a short time in operation there.

Cressey-Dockham, a food wholesaling firm which occupied its six million plant in 1974, may expand to accom-

modate its growing business.

Lester Oppenheim, treasurer of the company, reported this week that the company had just made an agreement with a major food chain to supply 86 stores, which may accelerate expansion plans to the planning stage this spring.

The comments followed an-

nouncement this past week that the U.S. Department of Commerce had approved a \$1 million loan to the firm for completion of its original plant and the creation of 300 new jobs.

The loan assists in completing the financing of the \$6 million plant which provides

cold storage facilities, office administrative space as well as wholesale processing facilities.

The warehouse will allow the company to increase its work force by 300 by 1978, most of the additional workers coming from the area's unemployed.

Positions to be filled include the selecting of groceries to be delivered to retail outlets, and clerical positions, among others.

The company had \$106 million in sales in 1975 and anticipates this to increase to \$175 million this year.

The firm was founded in Salem 80 years ago and purchased by Lester and Al Oppenheim in 1942. The move to Andover came in 1974.

Boston Symphony Program

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Heart Fund Fun Fair Sunday

A "Heart Fund Fun Fair" will be held at Merrimack College Church Auditorium on Sunday afternoon, March 21, from noon to 5 p.m. There is no admission charge. The fair will include the following booths: books and puzzles; white elephant; special raffle table - items raffled off all afternoon; home-made cakes; jewelry; hope-lite candles; snack bar and educational materials. There will be games and contests for the children.

A special feature will be on display and sale of original oil paintings by Glen A. Fowler. Also, on sale will be reproductions of Mr. Fowler's oil paintings on "Note Card" stationery.

There will be a display of paintings and posters submitted by

the Andover Elementary School children. Any child wishing to submit drawings to be displayed at the fair is invited to do so. The theme being Health, Heart, Emergency, Physical Fitness.

Won't you join in the fun and try to guess the number of candies in the brandy snifter? The person with the closest guess will receive a \$25 Savings Account at the Andover Savings Bank.

A book titled "The Glorious Ninety-Two", donated and signed by Hon. Michael S. Dukakis, will be awarded as the door prize.

There will be music during the afternoon and a Square Dancing exhibition by the "Slips 'N' Clutches", Roy Aubut, caller.

Mrs. Eleanor L. Parker, 19 Royal Crest Drive, North An-

dover, is Chairman. Assisting Mrs. Parker are members of the Shawsheen Village Women's Club, Andover Firefighters Women's Auxiliary and Mrs. Gloria Kerane.

Board Cited For Secret Session

Essex County Commissioners Tuesday tabled recommendation of the Essex County Advisory Board to cut more than \$900,000 from the Essex County budget after the secretary of the Advisory Board admitted the group's Executive Board violated the Mass. open meeting law in numerous instances when the Executive Board drew the recommendations.

The County Commissioners tabled action on the budget cuts for one week and requested the legal counsel for the Advisory Board to explain the actions.

Sheldon Cohen, secretary of the Advisory Board, admitted under questioning by Chairman Daniel J. Burke that when the recommendations were drafted the open meeting law was violated in at least five instances. Cohen, assistant Town Manager of Andover, conceded no notice was posted of the meeting as required by law and no motion was made to go into executive session.

He also admitted only five of the 34 cities and towns were represented at the Executive Board session.

Chairman Burke said he doubts the County Commissioners can act on the requested cuts with the legality of the meeting in doubt.

Cohen declined an offer to read the statute and point out any exemption for meetings of the Essex County Advisory Board.

In other action, bids will be opened March 23 for construction of a parking lot at Lynn District Court.

Turning Point

On Saturday night, March 20, a Multi-Media Presentation will be given at Turning Point Coffee House. The night includes slides, movies, and music.

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Sponsors and Special Article presented at Town are urged to attend Hearing conducted Finance Committee Thursday evening at 7:30 p.m. in the Library.

The purpose of the meeting is to bring

The selectmen's meeting tonight at 7:30 p.m. in the conference room of the town house. The meeting will have the regular items scheduled for the night, but postponed due to the snow storm.

Scheduled for the town meeting

The Board of Selectmen established some time ago for the mini-clinic in town's senior citizens.

During April

Contractors have been working on the town's Ballardvale sewerage treatment plant to complete the system.

The work will

Pumps Work

The Recreation Department announced that the town's Pumps Pond bathhouse construction.

The bathhouse is an old wood structure built since early 1940's.

Appropriations for the bathhouse were voted in 1975 based upon a preliminary estimate by architect A.D. Mac

Construction was started last year, however, due to higher than expected costs and in part to problems with state and local requirements.

Temporary facilities were rented for the 1975 season. An increase in the town's budget was allocated by the town's October special town meeting to reflect the higher costs. The prime contract was awarded to the

Correction

In the photo display "Campaign Trail" in the issue of the TOWNSMAN, the name of Emily Geradvently listed as Jackson.

Town House Topics

FinCom To Hold Hearing

Sponsors and opponents of Special Articles to be presented at Town Meeting are urged to attend the Open Hearing conducted by the Finance Committee on Thursday evening, March 25 at 7:30 p.m. in the Hall at the Library.

The purpose of this hearing is to bring matters and

opinions to the attention of the Finance Committee before the Committee issues its recommendations to the town in the Annual Finance Committee Report.

The Finance Committee will not be discussing the articles but will be soliciting facts and opinions from the townspeople. All are welcome.

Selectmen Meet Tonight

The selectmen will meet tonight at 7:30 p.m. in the conference room of the town house. The meeting will have the regular agenda items scheduled for Tuesday night, but postponed due to the snow storm.

Scheduled for discussion are town meeting dates, the

setting of days and times for subsequent adjourned sessions following the April 26 opening; the post office site, Sacred Heart property, and executive sessions on the negotiations with the fire department and the open meeting law litigation.

Budget review is also scheduled.

Mini Clinics Schedule

The Board of Health has established some new dates for the mini-clinics for the town's senior citizens.

During April the clinics

will be conducted from 2 to 4 p.m. on April 6 at The Haven, April 13 at Chestnut Court community hall and on April 20 at Ballard Vale United Church.

Construction Work Begins

Contractors have begun work on the tie-in of the Ballardvale sewer treatment plant to the town system.

The work authorized by

last year's town meeting is to eliminate the treatment plant, thus preventing pollution from entering the Shawsheen River, as ordered by the federal and state governments.

Pomps Building Work Underway

The Recreation - Community Schools Department has announced that the long-awaited Pomps Pond bathhouse is under construction.

The bathhouse replaces the old wood structure in existence since early 1940's.

Appropriations for the new bathhouse were voted in March 1975 based upon a design and preliminary estimates by architect A.D. Maclaren.

Construction was delayed one year, however, due in part to higher than expected final bids and in part to problems meeting state and local building requirements.

Temporary, portable facilities were rented and installed for the 1975 summer season. An increase in funding was allocated by the town in the October special town meeting to reflect the higher costs.

The prime contract was awarded to the Langlois

Correction

In the photo display "On The Campaign Trail" in the March 11 issue of the TOWNSMAN, the name of Emily Gerson was inadvertently listed as Emily Jackson.

Construction Company of Methuen, which submitted the low bid of \$62,900.

Completion is expected in mid June, well in time for the summer activity program at Pomps Pond. A description of the design details will appear in next week's TOWNSMAN.

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12 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily and 1 to 5 p.m. on Sunday.

As all the books have been donated by friends of the Hospital from private libraries and estates there are many long out of print as well as current best sellers. Subjects include the arts, history, biography, hobbies, textbooks, fiction and many more. All are at bargain prices ranging from children's books at 10¢ to collectors' items. Proceeds will go to the Children's Hospital.

New books will be put out daily for the first three days. Saturday and Sunday, April 10 and 11, will be half-price days with a final 10¢

clearance on Monday, April 12. Local residents who have been collecting books for the Yankee Bookstall are Mrs. James H. Grew of North Andover and Mrs. David B. Woodworth of Andover.

Request Fuel Use Charge Drop

Massachusetts Electric Company today announced it has again filed with the Department of Public Utilities (DPU) to lower its fuel adjustment charge.

If the request is approved by the DPU, it will mark the third time in four months Massachusetts Electric has lowered its fuel charge.

Commenting on the filing, Massachusetts Electric President William J. Cadigan said, "The new charge of 1.231 cents per kilowatt-hour, down from the current 1.238 cents, will appear on customers' bills during the months of April, May and June."

"Although it is only slightly lower than the amount which has appeared on bills this quarter," Cadigan pointed out, "the new charge is over 30 percent less than the cost of fuel on bills four months ago."

Tsongas' Hours

U.S. Congressman Paul E. Tsongas has announced that he will hold open office hours for any of his constituents who wish to speak with him on Saturday, March 20, 1976, from 3 to 5 p.m., at his Lawrence office, 469 Essex Street.

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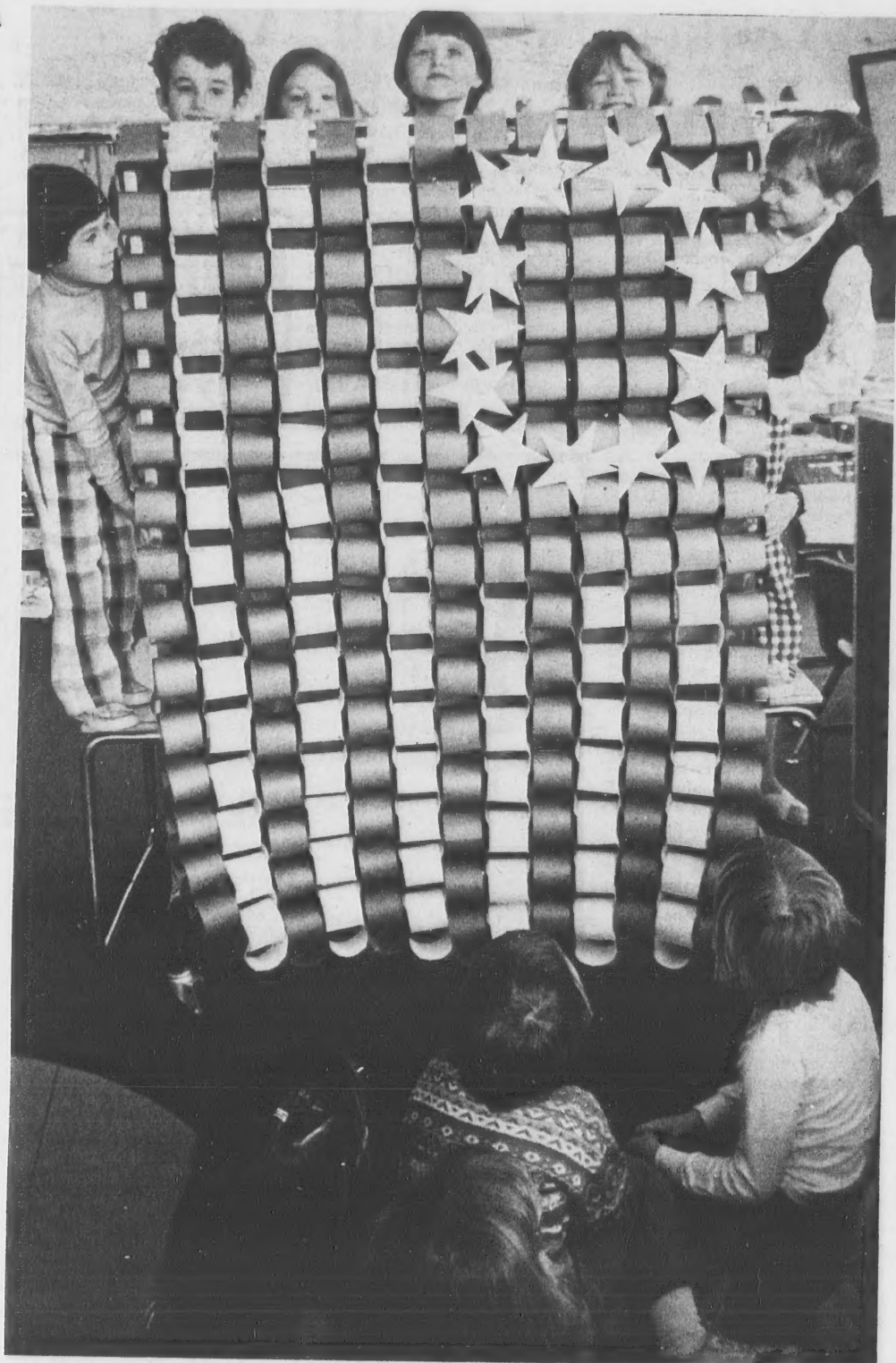
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Campbell To Describe Hawk Banding

John Campbell of Andover and Michael Olmstead of Bedford banded over 300 hawks last year

and have taken many pictures. On Tuesday, April 6, at 7:45 p.m. in the Ipswich River Audubon Sanctuary Barn in Topsfield they will tell of some of their adventures and show slides for the Ipswich River Audubon Club (IRAC) program. Just prior to this program at 6:30 p.m. Frank Tuttle will lead a Hilltop Survey walk in the Sanctuary.

On Thursday, April 15, at 6:30 p.m. Don Alexander will lead a Woodcock Watch at the Sanctuary with the hope of seeing and hearing the exciting nuptial flight of the favorite bird.

All IRAC activities are open to the public.

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Class of '51 Planning Reunion

The Punchard High School Class of 1951 will hold their 25th Reunion on July 10, at the Andover Lodge of Elks (formerly Fieldstones), 400 South Main St., Andover.

The Reunion Committee has finalized all arrangements and are interested in the whereabouts of the following classmates; William Beardsell, Mrs. Vivian Bell Duemling, Mrs. Janet Fieldhouse Heestand, Mrs. Janet Hartford Baker, Mrs. Phyllis Johnson Settermann, Mrs. Virginia McCullough Avery, Mrs.

Clarice Naylor Stewart, Ms. June Rugg, and Richard King. If you have any information about any of these people, please contact Mrs. Betty Gigis Mathews, 420 South Main St., Andover.

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NO. READING - Plaza North Route 28



Preparing Petition

On election day Andover voters will have an opportunity to register their concern about the location of the Post Office facility in Andover. The League of Women Voters is sponsoring a "citizen statement" petition which will be available for signing near polling places on March 22. Sue Tucker and Sue Dennett are seen here preparing the petition.

Seminar

The area's "newest" institution for higher education, the University of Lowell, invites all high school students to attend an open seminar on admissions on

Friday, March 26.

Information on application procedure, courses of study and financial aid will be available from 10:30 a.m. to 12 noon at the Costello Gymnasium, followed by campus tours.

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New Law Allows Burning

Open burning of brush, tree branches, driftwood and other forestry debris is allowed between now and April 15, in keeping with a state law passed last spring.

The law allows open burning of those materials between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., March 15 to April 15, providing certain conditions are met.

Grass, hay and leaves are excluded, and in order to burn, a permit must be obtained from the Fire Department.

The permit is valid except on days when the Department of Public Health determines that atmospheric ventilation will be unsuitable or that air stagnation is forecast.

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"The Junior Cops", Bill Nagel and Gary Garrod, load up some of the debris hauled out of the dell.

Do you know Rogers Dell?

This two acre mini-park is only two blocks from the center of town at the intersection of School Street and Lupine Road. It was purchased in March 1967 by the Andover Conservation Commission, but has been abused as a dumping ground for several years.

Friends and neighbors were invited to participate in a cleanup Saturday. The appalling yield included: 30 slag bags, tires, large pipes, many cartons, dead animals (boxed!), cans and bottles, and motor oil cans. The refuse filled Dave Coffman's Pepsi-Cola truck.

The crew consisted of Denna Hammond, chairman of the Andover Conservation Commission; Louise VanEveren, warden of Rogers Dell; Jim Christopher, chairman of the Appalachian Mountain Club Committee and Dorothy Christopher; Selectman Janet Lake; Mike Broderick, Mary Jane King, Dr. Fred Wallace, Barbara and Dave Coffman, Mary Nagle, Stephen and Leslie Neilms, Barbara Ventre, Bill Nagle, Gary and Robin Garrod, Carol King, Kelly Demers and Paul Ventre.

When the cleanup project is completed, work will begin immediately on plantings and clearing. The cutting of trails around the brook will provide a picnic spot.

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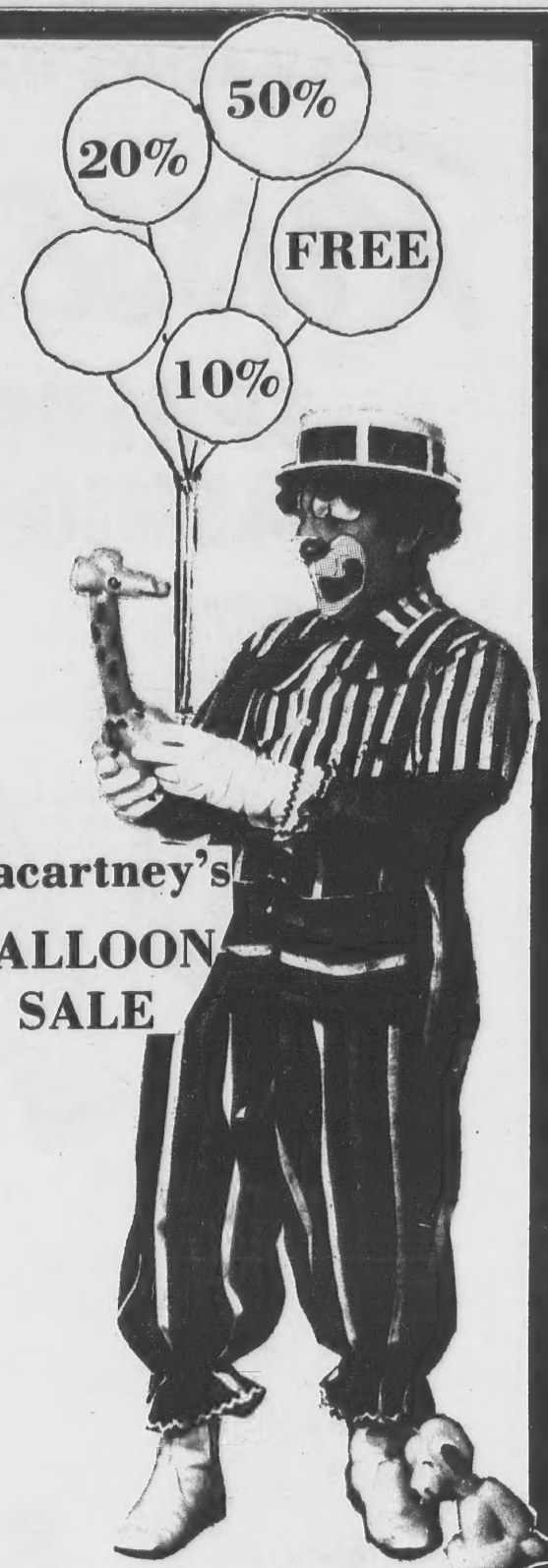
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Jane K. Caswell, a junior at Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vt., was recently notified that she had been placed on the

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Louise VanEveren, warden of Rogers Dell, checks over some of the cleanup operations.

Bicentennial Play To Be Presented

The Andover Community Theatre is starting work on a dramatic presentation under the sponsorship of the Bicentennial Commission. The production will feature events from Andover's history, from pre-Revolutionary days until the present, given in a dramatized form.

Several members of the theatre group have cooperated in authoring the presentation.

The director for the Bicentennial play is Rick Winterson, an officer and director of ACT. He will be holding tryouts at the

West Elementary School auditorium on Thursday, March 19, 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. and on Sunday, March 21, from 2 to 4 p.m. There will be a variety of roles and anyone who is interested in a singing or dancing part is urged

to attend.

Smaller parts are available for people who are interested in community theatre and are looking for a way to start.

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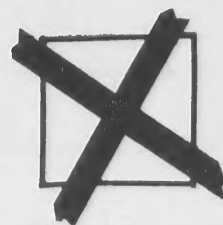


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Special Bicentennial Mass Is Offered



Assisting At Bicentennial Mass

Youngsters assisted at special Bicentennial Mass Saturday at St. Augustine's Church. "The Spirit of '76", above, is portrayed by, from left, Andrew Galbiati, Jeffrey Mirisola, Dwight O'Hara and Raymond Norris. Left: celebrant Rev. David J. Kelley, OSA, with Suzanne Sellers and John Recesso with special banner.

Liberty and justice for all was a dream of our forefathers, and it was also the theme for a special bicentennial Mass at St. Augustine's Church Saturday. The third grade classes in the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine program prepared this special celebration.

All the children dressed in bicentennial costumes and red, white and blue banners made by the children decorated the entire church. The celebrant of the Mass was Father David Kelley, O.S.A. Members of the third grade classes handed out programs and walked in a procession to the altar. The readings chosen were the Gospel according to St. John, Chapter 14, verses 15-21, the inscription on the Statue of Liberty, and the

beginning of the Declaration of Independence. Four children portrayed the "Spirit of '76" while the National Anthem was sung. Children composed and read the Prayers of the Faithful and they brought up the Offertory gifts.

Four third graders shared the Peace handshake with Father Kelley and the congregation.

The other hymns sung were "My Country 'Tis of Thee", "Let There Be Peace", "America the Beautiful", and "God Bless America".

All the children formed a

recessional with Father Kelley at the conclusion of the Mass.

Along with Kathy O'Brien, the elementary level C.C.D. coordinator, the teachers who prepared their classes for this bicentennial celebration are Kathy Albie, Marie Connors, Gert Dearborn, Helen Dehm, Ilona deNicola, Barbara Egan, Anne Gemmell, Joyce Hashen, Mary Hyman, Helen Kluck, Terri McNamara, Pat Mirisola, Eileen Novaline, Sheila Sheehan, Helen Sellers, Ann White, and Toni Winterson.

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may also be sent through the Church Office.

Seek Coach For Girls Softball

The Recreation - Community Schools Department is looking for a person interested in coaching a girls' softball team

composed of girls in 9th through 12th grades. The team will be the town entry in the Middle Essex Softball League and will compete with 11 other teams from surrounding communities. League games get underway the week of June 28. Anyone interested in the position should call the Recreation - Community Schools Department office.

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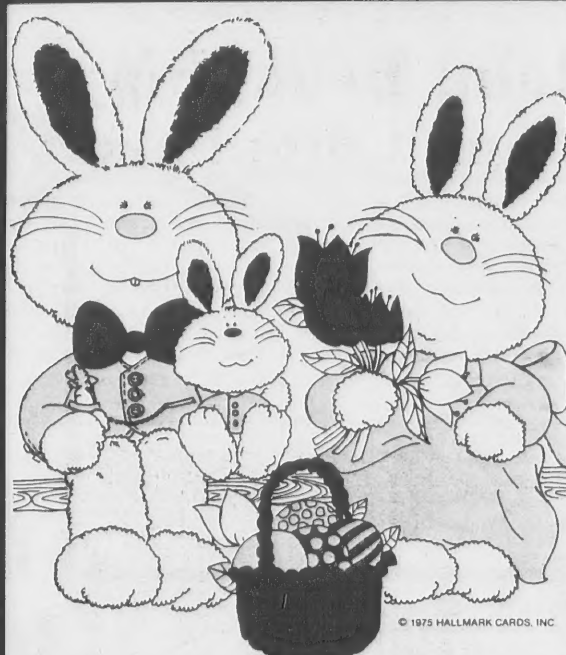
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Scouts Attend Worship Service

Girl Scout troop 507 and Brownie Scout troops 180, 42 and 505 participated in the worship service last Sunday at the Ballard Vale United Church. Mrs. Marilyn Nolan and Mrs. Gail Ward coordinated the girls. Jackie Ward served as acolyte and Nancy Karp read the scripture lesson. The ushers were Linda Farr and Leslie Roy, the greeters were Katie Brunquell and Laura Pascarella, the American flag was posted by Katie Darwin and Tina Sutton carried the troop flag.

Also on Sunday, a program for new adult members was coordinated by Robert Fisk. The new members met at the parsonage prior to the service with Willard Robinson, lay leader; Barbara Itz, moderator; David Hollenbeck, pastor; and Mr. Fisk. After this orientation session they adjourned to the church fellowship hall where a coffee

hour was prepared by Mrs. Ann Salter, Mrs. Janet Fisk, Mrs. JoAnne Rouff and Robin Salter. New members received during the morning service included Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cassell, Mrs. Sandra Farr, Mrs. Diane Damon, and Mrs. Phyllis Poor.

Notices for the week included a reminder that the Junior and Senior High Youth groups will meet at the church next Sunday evening at 4:15. They will travel to Newton, N.H. to go roller skating.

Members of the church and the community are reminded of the Family Enrichment workshop scheduled at the Ballard Vale Church for eight weeks beginning April 19. The sessions will feature intensive exploration of models of parenting and discussion of the problems of being effective parents. Registration is still open by calling the church office.

Covenant Players At South Church

The Covenant Players, an international Christian repertory drama group headquartered in Reseda, California will present a Bicentennial program at South Church this Saturday, March 20, at 7:30 in Fellowship Hall.

This will be one of 40 touring units in the field this year, whose journeys take them not only throughout the United States and Canada, but Europe, Australia, and Asia as well. Performances have been given in a wide variety of settings - churches, schools, shopping centers, hospitals, street corners, Navy ships, coffee houses, and many more.

With a vast repertoire of one-act plays and shorter vignettes, the Covenant Players use drama

to challenge and stimulate people into a searching look at the complex society they live in, and the role they play in it.

Saturday evening's program will feature two plays: "To Serve A Cause", about the first military chaplain, a minister who sought to serve actively both the cause of freedom and the cause of Christ; and "The Burning Bush" about the agony of a minister who feels called to speak out on issues he fears his congregation will not accept.

An opportunity for discussion will also be part of the evening. This is a program that will communicate to all ages, and all are urged to come. A free-will offering will be taken.

Ham, Bean Supper Plans Completed

The Friendly Circle of the Andover Baptist Church met Monday evening at the home of its president, Mrs. Frederick Eastman, to complete plans for its Ham and Bean Supper scheduled for Saturday, March 27 in the church vestry on Central Street.

Having become an annual spring event, the family style supper is eagerly anticipated by members of the church and the community at large. The traditional homemade menu of beans, ham, potato salad, cole slaw, relishes and pies will be

served from 5 to 7 p.m.

Ticket chairman Mrs. William Hughes announced that tickets have been distributed to all Circle members and that tickets will also be available at the door.

Mrs. Robert Stocks, chairman of the supper planning committee, announced that Joyce Blake, Edith Eastman, Shirley Guild, Peggy MacDonald, Mabelle Otis, and Ruth Stocks would be on the kitchen committee with Edna Lounsbury, Carol Stocks, and Helen Thompson also helping with the pre-supper preparations. Publicity is being directed by Esther Estelle, June Shattuck and Mabelle Otis.

Linda Lounsbury will be dining room hostess and table decorations will be done by Lin Robinson. Dorothy Gordon, Barbara Woodworth and members of the Youth Fellowship will serve as waitresses and Albert Evans, Fred Otis, Emerson Wilson and Everett Ward are among the men of the church who will be helping the ladies of the Circle by preparing and serving beverages at the supper.

Purim Carnival

The Lawrence Jewish Community Center will sponsor a Purim Carnival on Sunday, March 21 from 12:30 to 4:30 p.m. Lunch will be served at 12:30. All of the affiliated adult and teenage Jewish organizations in the area will sponsor game booths for the children. There will be booths, prizes, free door prizes, food and costume parades. This is an event for the entire family.

Those organizations which are involved are: The Jewish Community Center Women's Group, the J.C.C. Kid Power, Temple Emanuel Sisterhood, Hadassah, Temple Emanuel Youth Group, Congregation Tifereth Anshai Sfard, Sisterhood, B'nai B'rith Girls, and Edward Touroche A.Z.A.

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Mrs. Marion Carpentier, owner of Yankee Lady, admires the plaque designating her selection as "Retailer of the Year".

Mrs. Marion Carpentier, owner of Yankee Lady in Olde Andover Village, was named Retailer of the Year by the Andover Chamber of Commerce at the annual dinner meeting honoring the top merchant this past week at the Lanam Club.

Mrs. Carpentier received the plaque from Kenneth P. Thompson, recipient of the award last year.

Professor James J. St.Germain, head of the political science department at Merrimack College, was the featured speaker, discussing "The Real and Imagined Presidency".

Mrs. Carpentier, the third recipient of the Retailer of the Year Award, has been a director of the Andover Chamber, has served on many committees within the chamber and was recently named the first

woman director of the Andover Savings Bank.

In his discussion of the Presidency, Professor St.Germain said that the occupant of the White House can not make all the decisions, nor can he follow through on all the campaign promises, due to the constitutional structure of the country.

While the President may have programs and plans for the office, he must still go to Congress for their approval, which is not always an easy task.

While the President may be elected by all the people, he is responsible to Congress, whose representatives come from varied districts throughout the land and are responsible to the voters there, St.Germain

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Professor James J. St.Germain tells about "The Real and Imagined Presidency" before the Andover Chamber of Commerce dinner meeting.

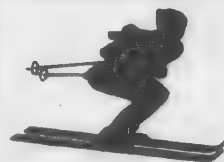
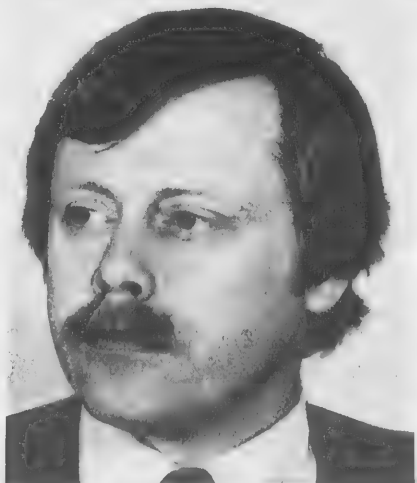
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"While the President wears many hats, he wears many chains," St.Germain pointed out.

He noted that when Nixon was brought to the Constitution, Lincoln was the nation's greatest. St.Germain said, "the constitution to save"



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Atty. Andrew F. Shea, right, president of the Andover Chamber of Commerce, discusses points with Mrs. Madeline Abate, executive director of the Andover Chamber and Jeffrey S. French.

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pointed out. The problem stems from what we expect the Presidency to be, and what the office can actually accomplish. Accomplishment comes only through working with the Congress.

"While the President may wear many hats, he also wears many chains," St. Germain pointed out.

He noted that while President Nixon was brought down by the Constitution, Lincoln, probably the nation's greatest President, St. Germain said, violated the constitution to save the coun-

try.

Lincoln denied rights to citizens in some sections of the country, ordered textile workers to make uniforms for the army in view of an impending war and ordered the making of ammunition, long before he called Congress into session.

But times were such that the action was necessary and acceptable.

While candidates are campaigning across the land, seeking the nomination for the Presidency, he asked the businessmen to bear in mind the "real and imagined Presidency" in their evaluation, concluding his praise for the American governmental

Heseltine To Manage Sports Shop

H. Charles Heseltine, formerly with Dana's Sports Shop, has been named manager of "The Sport Shop" at 92 Main St., Andover.

Heseltine, long associated with the sporting goods business, will be operating the store owned by Fred Teichert, who also owns the adjoining Andover Stationers Store.

A complete line of sporting goods will be offered at the new store, along with top lines of quality merchandise for the retail and wholesale trade.

In addition to being vice president of the Andover Chamber of Commerce, Heseltine also serves as a member of the Center Merchants Association of the chamber.

dent of the chamber, spoke briefly, congratulating the Andover Center Merchants on their work during the year and thanking them for their assistance during his term of office.

Paul Gmyrek, chairman of the Andover Center Merchants, reported on the promotional programs held to date this year. Plans for promotions planned for the remainder of the year were presented by Douglas Thompson, Alexander Milne, Jeffrey S. French, and H. Charles Heseltine.

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William J. Driscoll, son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Driscoll, 1815 Great Pond Road, North Andover, has been named Dormitory Proctor at Bowdoin College for the 1976-1977 academic year. Membership on the Board of Proctors is one of

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process with the notation that while visiting European lands is a nice experience, "when the plane makes its descent over Maine toward Logan, you always get the feeling that America looks awfully good."

St. Germain also commented briefly on the Bicentennial parade due for May 9 and which he serves as float chairman, telling of the progress to date on the program.

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Andover Youth Basketball League Results

Action continued hot and heavy in the AYBL last week as the season winds to a close. In the Senior Division the Lakers established an AYBL record by picking up their twelfth consecutive victory. In the Intermediate - Minor Division, the Panthers picked up their 11th straight win while the Lions knocked the Cheetas from the undefeated ranks. In the Majors, Dartmouth and Villanova share the top slot with one game remaining.

Banquet Tickets Final Call

A limited number of tickets for the April 5 AYBL Banquet are still available, but they must be sold by this weekend. Players and their families should contact their team coach. Others may contact Neil Zimmerman, 13 Blood Road, Andover.

Intermediate Tourney

The Intermediate Division's One-On-One Tournament opening rounds will begin this Saturday, March 20, at the Andover High School gym. All Major Division players must be ready to play at 9 a.m. sharp - no late tournament registrations will be permitted. All Minor Division players must be ready to play at 10:30 a.m. Again, no late registrations will be allowed.

Intermediates Majors

A total of 10 points was the margin in all four of the division's games. There were two games decided by a point, there was a three point game, and the biggest margin was five points. Dartmouth and Villanova share the division's top slot going into the final week of the regular season.

Holy Cross - 32 Harvard - 31

In an overtime thriller, Holy Cross knocked off Harvard, which the previous week had handed Villanova its only loss of the season. Holy Cross came from a 21-16 deficit after three periods to tie at 25 at the end of regulation play. Holy Cross then went on to outscore the Crimson 7-6 in the overtime period to pick up their second victory.

Holy Cross: Chris Bedell 13, Tim Bolduc 8, Bill Vickers 4, Rob Slayton 3, Frank De Piano 2 and Jim Terrion 2.

Harvard: Todd Zimmerman 15, Tom Beaumier 7, Matt Wells 6, Wally Hines 2 and James Lebowitz 1.

Dartmouth - 28 Boston College - 27

In another shootout, the two teams were tied at 14 at the end of the half. Dartmouth then outscored B.C. 8-4 in the third period and just held off a late B.C. rally to pick up the victory, their fifth straight.

Dartmouth: Chris Doherty 15, Mike Brown 5, Jon Pelletier 3, Glen Johnson 2, Steve Johnson 2 and Scott Tobey 1.

B.C.: Ted Kelley 15, Gary Sanderson 6, Dick Kelley 3, Kevin Canavan 2 and Brett Pearson 1.

Boston University - 29 N. Carolina State - 26

Boston University became the last of the AYBL teams to pick up a victory, but when it finally came, it was a sweet one. B.U. trailed the entire game with period scores at 14-4, 16-14 and 25-22. Then the B.U. defense really tightened up while Dave Barker found his shooting eye. State found itself on the short end of a 7-1 final period score and the victims of B.U.'s first victory. The win was a real team effort as seven of the nine B.U. players were in the scoring column.

B.U.: Barker 11, John Mero'a 7, Eric Feingold 4, Jon Bram 2, Tom MacDonald 2, Tom Powers 2 and Andy Emmert 1.

N.C. State: Don Minor 7, Craig

Lebowitz 6, E.J. Perry 6, Rob Quinlan 6 and Marc Bolan 1.

Villanova - 30 Northeastern - 25

Villanova got back on the winning ways in dropping Northeastern. The game was not as close as the final score would indicate. The Huskies were unbelievably cold in the first half, going scoreless as Villanova racked up 16 points. Northeastern finally found the hoop in the third period for 7 and tallied 18 in the final period, six in the last ten seconds of play, but it was not enough as Villanova played steady ball.

Villanova: John Smith 8, Mark Haddad 6, Dave Fredette 4, Carmen Scarpa 4, Mike White 4, Chuck Frazzette 2 and Keith Matheson 2.

Northeastern: Ted Liszewski 12, Mike Sherman 4, Steve Smith 4, John Atanasoff 2, Neil Twomey 2 and Sean Noone 1.

Standings

	W-L
Dartmouth	5-1
Villanova	5-1
Boston College	4-2
Harvard	4-2
Holy Cross	2-4
Northeastern	2-4
Boston University	1-5
N. Carolina State	1-5

Intermediates Minors

The Bears threw a real scare into the front-running Panthers while the division's first-half champion Lions knocked off the previously undefeated Cheetas. The Jaguars also picked up their second consecutive victory.

Panthers - 14 Bears - 11

The division-leading Panthers more than had their hands full with an aroused Bears team. The Panthers held a 1 point edge at 6-5 at the half and then outscored the Bears 4-2 in the third period for the margin of victory. The Bears played the Panthers even in the first and last quarters.

Panthers: Tim Hart 4, Rich Morano 4, Adam Edelsberg 2, Robbie Kochakian 2 and Phil Puccia 2. Andy McKissack and Rick Winterson keyed the defense.

Bears: Mike McGrath 7, Jeff Deveau 2 and Dennis McGrath 2. Frank Drake and John Nardoza also played fine games.

Eagles - 14 Cougars - 8

This game featured defense as both teams went scoreless in the final period. A 6-2 bulge in the third period was the winning margin as the Cougars were down only 8-6 at the half.

Eagles: Pete Crabtree 8, Jim Dietzel 2, Eric Swift 2 and Adam Wise 2. John Muldoon and Andy Shagoury led the Eagles defense.

Cougars: Mark Connolly 5 and Jay Robbins 3. Jerry Ahern and John Robbins played fine floor games for the Cougars.

Lions - 31 Cheetas - 25

In the division's key game, the previously undefeated Cheetas were dropped by the Lions. The Lions fell behind 5-4 at the quarter and 12-11 at the half. The Lions gained the lead at 17-16 after three periods and won going away. Both teams featured well-balanced scoring attacks.

Lions: Bob Kimmerle 8, Pat Beaudine 7, Pete Caplan 6, Jeff Bruk 4, Art Dunlavy 4 and Ken Doherty 2. Todd Lawrie and Ken Oshan were defensive standouts.

Cheetas: Chris Reichert 7, Geoff Reichert 7, Alex Roberts 5, Billy Foley 2, Adam Roberts 2 and Ken Smith 2. Scott Arnold and Dan Heiter also played well.

Jaguars - 20 Tigers - 13

The surprising Jaguars, winless until a week ago, picked up their second straight win. The Jaguars broke open a tie game at the half with a five point bulge in the third period. Rick Desmarais sparked the rally, scoring all of his points in the period.

Jaguars: Dave Checkik 8, Desmarais 6, Sean Norris 4 and John McLellan 2. Terry Flynn and Steve Kilmain led the Jaguars defensive effort.

Tigers: Jon Baer 4, John Kramer 4, Guy Brooksbank 2, Dan Fleming 2 and Doug Lindquist 1. Brooksbank quarterbacked the Tigers offense while Jerry and Tom Witt played fine defensive games.

Standings

	W-L
Panthers	6-0
Cheetas	5-1
Lions	5-1
Bears	2-4
Eagles	2-4
Jaguars	2-4
Cougars	1-5
Tigers	1-5

Senior Division

Play in the Senior Division also featured a couple of close games. The Lakers made it twelve straight and continue as the AYBL's only undefeated team.

Bullets - 47 Hawks - 46

The Hawks, leading 41-26 at the end of three period, looked a cinch to pick up their first victory of the division's second half. Then the combination of great defense and a hot scoring streak found the Bullets fashioning the league's finest comeback effort. The rally was led by Jeff Rosen, Ira Gold and Whit MacDonald. Rosen scored 11 of his total of 19 points in the last stanza. The loss overshadowed a fine effort by the Hawks' Paul Kelly who tallied a game-high of 26 points.

Bullets: Rosen 19, Gold 10, Mac Donald 8, Steve Rathbun 5, Jim Connolly 3 and Brian Staid 2.

Hawks: Kelly 26, Kevin Daly 14, Bob Beaudine 4 and Chuck Fleming 2.

Warriors - 51 Cavaliers - 49

The Warriors, in picking up their first win of the second-half, knocked the Cavaliers from the undefeated ranks. This game also

featured a comeback as the Cavaliers led 41-34 after three periods. The Warriors then went on to outscore the Cavs 17-8 as all four Warrior scorers contributed points.

Warriors: Dave Nardone 26, Bob Conroy 16, Ben Bram 5 and Doug Russell 4.

Cavaliers: Mike Donohue 21, Jim Wetterberg 18, Jamie

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The Andover-North Andover YMCA, with the cooperation of Brooks School and Phillips Academy, will offer an extensive program of tennis in its Spring Term. Details are outlined in the YMCA's Spring Program folder which is being mailed to all members and will be available to others who are interested March 22. All tennis courses are for six weeks beginning April 26. Registrations for these courses will be accepted at the new YMCA building, 165 Haverhill St., Andover beginning on March 23 for Full Privilege YMCA members and on March 25 for all other interested residents of Andover, North Andover and neighboring communities.

Of particular interest to North Andover and Boxford adult residents but open to others as well, will be the availability to the YMCA of the courts of Brooks School for numerous morning programs. A total of 11 courts will be loaned for YMCA programs, including four new courts and including several hard top courts. In addition to the classes listed for the Brooks School, courts are available at other times and may be rented for a specific period as openings exist or for the six weeks by a group of players signing up for a

private session of informal play. Morning instruction classes for adults are scheduled at Brooks as follows, with additional classes to be added as needed: Beginners - Mondays 9-10:15 a.m., or Thursday 9-10:15 a.m. or 10:15-11:30 a.m.; Intermediate - Monday or Tuesday 10:15-11:30 a.m. In addition on Thursdays 9-10:15 a.m. a program will be conducted which will include tournament play plus informal competition. Prior registration is required for all classes, including informal play classes scheduled on Wednesday 10:15-11:30 a.m.

Also available will be the YMCA's traditional program at the Phillips Academy Pearson Farm courts. Youth instruction open to boys and girls in grades 6-9 includes one hour beginners' classes on Mondays at 5 p.m. or at 4 p.m. on Tuesday or Thursday; also intermediate classes on Mondays at 4 p.m. or on Tuesday or Thursday at 5 p.m. An informal play class will be conducted on Wednesday at 4:30 p.m. Adult or high school youth may enroll for informal tennis on Wednesday at 6 p.m. or instruction on Monday, Tuesday or Thursday evenings at 6 p.m. Morning classes basically serving women will feature beginners' instruction

on Wednesday at 9, intermediate instruction, Wednesday 10:15 or Friday 10:15. Informal play classes are scheduled on Tuesday or Thursday at 9 or Thursday 10:15 a.m.

Newcomers' Club members will have priority on March 18 and 19 only in signing up at the YMCA for a beginners' class on Monday at 10:15 or an intermediate class on Monday at 9 a.m. Remaining openings in

these classes will be filled at registration periods indicated above.

Related programs include informal paddle tennis for women at Phillips Academy courts (Abbot) on Tuesday or Thursday 9-10 a.m. Other times may also be arranged. Table Tennis informal play classes open to the registrations of Full Privilege YMCA members only will be scheduled for grades 4-6 on

Thursdays at 3:30 p.m. and for grades 7-9 at 4:30 p.m., both meeting at the new YMCA building.

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Farnham Paces Bantams' Late Season Surge

By Rick Harrison

The Andover Bantam A traveling hockey team, which couldn't buy a victory several weeks ago, has suddenly become unbeatable as it inches closer and closer to the .500 mark which has eluded the locals ever since opening night.

Coach Dick Neal's crew stretched its undefeated streak through six games last weekend, registering two victories and a tie along the way.

The results moved Andover's overall ledger to 12-15-3, including 5-0-1 during the month of March.

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Coombes 7, Dave Grant 2 and Brian Van Aken 1.

Lakers - 52 Celtics - 38

The Lakers picked up their third victory of the division's second-half and twelfth straight to establish an AYBL record. The Lakers broke the game open in the third period. Leading only 18-15 at the half, the Lakers outscored the Celts 18-5 in the third period and 18-16 in the last quarter.

Lakers: Larry Larrabee 13, Bob Patterson 10, Ed Goodman 9, Jim Hamilton 8, Keith Sampson 8, Rich Gusmini 2 and Rich Marciano 2.

Celtics: Bill Hall 20, Mike Yuska 9, Bruce Turgiss 5, John Hoyle 2 and Bill Smith 2.

Jazz - 55 Knicks - 33

The Jazz climbed into a tie for second place on the strength of their best offensive game of the season. The Jazz jumped out to a 14-4 lead after the first period and were never threatened. It was 24-6 at the half and 40-17 after three periods.

Jazz: Rob Wilkins 18, Steve Doherty 15, Andy Powell 14, Andy Cobin 4 and Mike Muldoon 4.

Knicks: Jim Hayes 22, Bob Kilgo 6, Bob Heidt 4 and Mike Curley 1.

Standings

	W-L
Lakers	3-0
Cavaliers	2-1
Celtics	2-1
Jazz	2-1
Bullets	1-2
Knicks	1-2
Warriors	1-2
Hawks	0-3

Kimball Is Partner In Firm

Herbert W. Kimball, Meadow Brook Drive, Andover, has become a partner in a new actuarial consulting firm known as Kimball and Robinson, with offices at 60 Hickory Drive, Waltham.

The firm specializes in the design, installation and administration of retirement plans and other employee benefits.

Mr. Kimball, a Fellow of the Society of Actuaries and a member of the American Academy of Actuaries, was formerly a senior vice president of The Connell Company, Waltham.

The most recent string began with an 8-4 romp over the Masconomet Bantams at Merrimack College, as scorching Paul Farnham poured in three more goals and figured in two others with assists.

Lynnfield was next, putting up a mighty struggle before bowing 3-2 as Andover goalie Dave Cullinan barred the door down the stretch.

The locals' five-game victory skein was halted in a slightly-abbreviated game against Concord, N.H., when the Granite Staters eluded Andover to a 2-2 standoff at Merrimack College before the ice time "ranneth out."

Coach Neal, expanding his team's schedule with great rapidity, had five additional games listed this week.

Masco Drops, 8-4

Masconomet remained in contention for only one period, trailing 2-1 at that juncture following goals by Mike Anderson at 2:18 and Paul Farnham unassisted at the 8:32 mark.

Andover pumped home four more red-lighters in the middle stanza to grab a commanding 6-2 cushion, and then coasted through the last period.

Len Driscoll's 27th seasonal marker during a powerplay at 1:36 of the second period got the offense rolling, and then Farnham completed his hat trick with goals No. 26 and 27 at the 4:17 and 8:01 points. Steve Morin was the next marksman at 10:27.

Third session lamplighters by Joe Cammarata and Mike Anderson offset a brace of Masco tallies, setting the final count at 8-4.

Paul Farnham continued his red-hot scoring pace, chipping in two assists for a five-point effort overall.

Joe Cammarata and Wayne Merola also passed out a pair of helpers apiece while Joe Cahill, Jim Higgins, Jeff Hudgins and Mike Anderson chalked up solo assists.

Todd Bateson celebrated his 15th birthday by collecting the victory in net.

Lynnfield Skids, 3-2

Lynnfield proved a bit tougher than the first time around, when Andover prevailed rather easily 6-2, but single goals from Paul Farnham, Wayne Merola and Steve Morin proved just enough to sweep the season's series.

Farnham opened the scoring at 3:20 of the first period with his 28th red-lighter, moments after the locals finished killing a penalty.

"This resulted from a fine play by defenseman Phil Weeks," noted Coach Neal. "He carried up the sideboards, eluding three players, cut towards the net and passed to Farnham in front."

Lynnfield battled back for a 1-1 first session tie at 7:02, slipping a 20-footer past Andover goalie Dave Cullinan.

The score remained knotted through several penalty situations in the second period, and finally at 11:52 Wayne Merola's 16th goal gave Andover the advantage for good.

Hustling John Sagaser initiated the play from the corner, feeding rear-guard Dean Robinson at the left point. Robinson fired a long slapshot that was deflected

home by Merola.

The eventual game-winning goal was a powerplay connection by Steve Morin at 3:27 of a penalty-packed third period.

Crisp passing by assistants Len Driscoll and Joe Cammarata set up Morin directly out front, and he potted his 14th seasonal tally to boost the lead to 3-1.

Lynnfield's attack was hampered by the fact it spent most of the remaining time killing off penalties, but a 25-foot shot from the right side eluded Cullinan at 9:19.

That cut the gap to 3-2 and made the final few minutes interesting, but Cullinan was more than equal to the challenge.

The game was punctuated by 14 penalties, just as the Masco contest had been, and Lynnfield was whistled for nine of them.

Concord Ties, 2-2

Len Driscoll's 28th seasonal goal, with assists to linemates John Sagaser and Steve Morin, gave sizzling Andover a 1-0 edge at 5:09 of the opening period.

Concord, beaten 8-4 by the locals three weeks ago, struck back 82 seconds later as a quick shot slid by the post to starting goalie Todd Bateson's right.

Paul Farnham lifted Andover back ahead 2-1 at 2:24 of the middle session, taking a set-up feed from Joe Cammarata and pumping in his 29th red-lighter.

Three minutes later the New Hampshire visitors squared things for the final time, as a five-foot shot eluded Bateson, and the remainder of the game was scoreless, although Concord was forced to kill three late penalties.

Dave Cullinan finished up the last half of the contest in the locals' net, blanking Concord.

Schedule

Andover resumed its extra-busy late season schedule with five more games this week.

Last Monday the locals battled North Andover at Brooks School, and Tuesday evening they faced the Masconomet Bantams at Beverly.

Tomorrow night Andover will be at Rochester, N.H. for a 7:45 p.m. clash; Saturday morning the Salem, N.H. Bantams invade

Merrimack College for a 10:45 a.m. battle; and Sunday morning, Neal's club hits the road for an 11:30 a.m. game at Assabet Valley.

Bantam Scoring (30 Games)

	G-A-Pts.
Paul Farnham	29-34-63
Joe Cammarata	18-25-43
Len Driscoll	28-14-42
Steve Morin	14-16-30

John Sagaser	12-17-29
Wayne Merola	16-6-22
Mike Anderson	8-10-18
Ken Southworth	3-11-14
Bruce Belbin	2-10-12
Phil Weeks	1-10-11
Jim Higgins	1-7-8
Joe Cahill	2-5-7
Dean Robinson	0-7-7
Jeff Hudgins	0-4-4
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Brian Kelly	0-1-1
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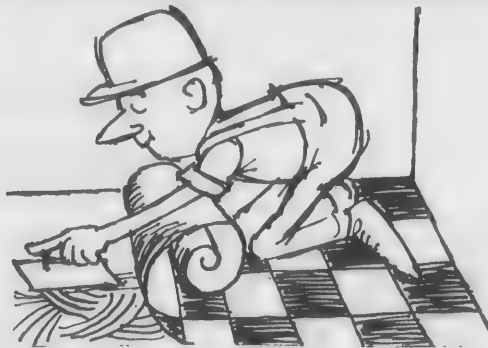
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St. I

By Rick Harr

Regular-season champion St. Augustine A cruised to a title showdown for the Church Basketball League Division playoff championship as both posted semitories last week at Junior High gym.

St. Robert's captured a second straight playoff and 11th consecutive season, blasting South 21 and using a big quarter eruption as a springboard to success.

St. Augustine A, after a quarterfinal halt, halted the three-game of Free Church enroute to a decision in the night. The two rivals, who during the regular season with St. Robert's the times, clashed for the night after TOV presstime. Details will be in next week's paper.

St. Robert's, 1

St. Robert's, now 1-0, was forced to shoot outside over the St. defense, and the result was a 21-10 victory on 25-of-59 fieldgoal and a 42 percent average.

Well-balanced scoring, entire starting five, Robert's to leads of 14-0 at the first two checks.

Divisional scoring, McNamara took control in the period, pouring through the air as the finalists built a mountable 48-17 cushion.

The only answer mustered by South quarter was a Scott bucket.

By game's end, Robert's players had a point column, sparked by McNamara who hit 10 shots for a game-high 24 points, the 12th straight time scaled double figures.

Scott Praetz, McNamara, did all his first three quarters 5-of-11 shots for 10 points.

Brian Rockwell and Frank Branco stuffed Praetz 2, Steve Leiters, Saunders added a last throw.

Steve Rathbun was a gunner for South with Scott Hughes pocketing Hughes 4 and Bill Cal Brian Dallis Stammers also played South, which missed

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By Rick Harrison

Regular-season champion St. Robert's and third place finisher St. Augustine A cruised into the title showdown for the Andover Church Basketball League Senior Division playoff championship, as both posted semifinal victories last week at the West Junior High gym.

St. Robert's captured its second straight playoff triumph and 11th consecutive win this season, blasting South Church 51-21 and using a big 20-2 third quarter eruption as the springboard to success.

St. Augustine A, after receiving a quarterfinal round bye, halted the three-game win streak of Free Church enroute to a 34-24 decision in the nightcap.

The two rivals, who met twice during the regular campaign with St. Robert's the victor both times, clashed for the crown last night after TOWNSMAN presstime. Details will be in next week's paper.

St. Robert's, 51-21

St. Robert's, now 11-1 overall, was forced to shoot from well outside over the South zone defense, and the results were excellent as the winners connected on 25-of-59 fieldgoal attempts for a 42 percent average.

Well-balanced scoring by the entire starting five boosted St. Robert's to leads of 14-7 and 28-15 at the first two checkpoints.

Divisional scoring champ John McNamara took control of the situation in the pivotal third period, pouring through 10 points as the finalists built up an insurmountable 48-17 cushion.

The only answering fire mustered by South in that quarter was a Scott Hughes bucket.

By game's end, eight St. Robert's players had cracked the point column, sparked by John McNamara who hit 10-of-15 floor shots for a game-high 20 points . . . the 12th straight time he has scaled double figures.

Scott Praetz, who, like McNamara, did all his damage in the first three quarters, canned 5-of-11 shots for 10 points.

Brian Rockwell and Rich Marciano tossed in 6 markers apiece, Frank Branco stuffed 4, Greg Praetz 2, Steve Leitch 2 and Dan Saunders added a last period free throw.

Steve Rathbun was the top gunner for South with 7 points, Scott Hughes pocketed 6, Tracy Hughes 4 and Bill Calthorpe four.

Brian Dellis and Bob Stammers also played well for South, which missed the services

of John Sagaser who was playing hockey in Beverly with the Bantam A crew that evening.

St. Robert's converted just 1-of-7 foul shots, while South hit 3-of-7.

St. Augustine A, 34-24

St. Augustine A used a patient offense against the Free Church zone, moving the ball around the perimeter and waiting for high percentage shots enroute to its 34-24 decision.

The winners, now 7-4 overall, grabbed a 6-3 first stanza spread as Rich Gusmini flipped in two baskets and Jim Hayes had the other 2-pointer.

The rivals notched 10 points each in the second quarter, making it 16-13 at halftime, as Jeff Buck and Mike Travis did the sharpshooting for Free and four different marksmen contributed

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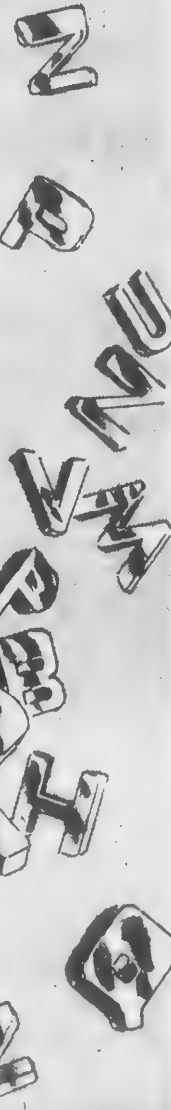
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Spring Fever Horse Show

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This annual horse show at the Andover Riding Academy on Route 114 North Andover is one

of the earliest equestrian events of the year. It will begin at 9 a.m. on Saturday, March 21 (blizzard date: March 28, 1976).

A great many different classes are scheduled including lead line, equitation, jumping, and cham-

pionship classes. Lots of coffee, sandwiches and pastries for sale, too.

Post entries are accepted or mail entries, on official forms only, to Mrs. Gail Whittaker, 132 Lake St., Haverhill, Mass. 01830.

Local Girls In Swimathon

On Sunday, March 28, the Lawrence Y Wahoo Swim Team will conduct a Swimathon to raise funds to send their top swimmers to the National Championships at Rockford College, Rockford, Illinois. Last year the team placed fifth overall at the Swimming Hall of Fame Pool in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida.

The girls have been seeking sponsors throughout the town during the past weeks. A sponsor is a person or business that pledges a set amount for each lap of the 75 foot Lawrence YWCA pool that a team member swims. The Wahoos will be happy to give an estimate of how many laps they anticipate swimming to all potential sponsors.

Over one-half of the 65 member team is made up of girls from Andover and North Andover. They are coached by Andoverite Ed Dowd. Local girls that will be swimming on the 28th are: Sandy, Beth and Patti Pelc, Carolyn Cronin, Tracy and Colleen Dowd, Alyson O'Hara, Patty and Linda Fitzgerald, Jennifer Cushing, Margaret Davey, Maria Elias, Kathy, AnnMarie and Mary Ellen Wesson, Meghan and Eileen Hanawalt, Tricia and Ann

Wright, Beth Alexander, Dianne Clendaniel, Elizabeth Gass, Ann Hart, Andrea Paradis, Nancy Pearson, Kate Scanlon, Carol Belbin, Nancy White, Moira Schwing, Bobbi Wright and Cindy Magg.

The public is welcome to watch and support the girls in their marathon effort starting at 10 a.m. at 38 Lawrence St. The Wahoo swim team will be guests on Bill Callaghey's Sport Show on Saturday, Feb. 27 from 10:10 a.m. Persons wishing to make a direct contribution may contact Jim Manchester at the YWCA.

DOROTHY GAGNE

Mrs. Dorothy (Fogg) Gagne, 82, 40C Washington Park Drive, treasurer of the Allied Paint Stores in Lawrence, died March 8 at Lawrence General Hospital after a short illness.

Born in Lynn, August 19, 1893, she was a graduate of Lynn High School. Mrs. Gagne had been a resident of Andover for the past

43 years. She was past president of the Shawsheen Village Women's Club, honorary trustee of the Lawrence General Hospital, former treasurer of the Lawrence General Hospital Hospitality Shop, and a longtime member of the Noon Auxiliary of Grace Church in Lawrence.

The widow of Joseph T. Gagne, she is survived by a son, Robert P. Gagne of Salem, N.H.; two sisters, Mrs. Josephine Spaulding of Lynn, and Mrs. Ethel Gregg of Newport, N.H.; two grandsons and a granddaughter.

Funeral services were held Friday at 2 p.m. at the Funeral Chapel of J.B. Emmert and Sons, 93 East Haverhill St., Lawrence. Burial was in Spring Grove Cemetery.

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Marilyn and her husband, Morry, have been collecting antiques for the past several years, looking forward to some day opening a store in Andover.

With their son, a recent graduate of the University of Vermont, with a B.S. in business, the combined venture offers the proper outlet for the combined merchandising pursuit of the

hobby.

Allison Gray of Andover, a Pappagallo girl, will be assisting in the operation.

Kindergarten Registration At West

Kindergarten Registration will be held at West Elementary School on Beacon St., Andover, the Week of March 29 - April 2.

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Major League tryouts will be held on March 20 for the National League and March 21 for the American League according to age.

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All three semifinals games in the Intermediate Division of the Andover Basketball League have exciting things in common that none of them was until the winner staged rally in the fourth quarter.

When all the smoke cleared last Monday night at Junior High gym, regular champ St. Augustine runner-up St. Augustine battled into the Blue final, while Ballardvale earned a berth in the sion title game.

St. Augustine B, trailing point at halftime and jumping ahead after three quarters, shook loose to defeat St. A 24-19 in one Blue Division test.

St. Augustine A, on a similar single point entering the last period, again received some shooting from Ted Kelley away from Christ Church.

Ballardvale United, short end of the score, one quarter and up by after three stanzas, held South Church, 12-8.

The Intermediate season now comes to a Monday night with the champions ready to battle at East Junior High.

Ballardvale United against St. Augustine Gold Division title clash p.m., while St. Augustine collides with St. Augustine the Blue Division clash o'clock.

On March 24 the shooting contest at West High wraps up all action.

St. Augustine A

St. Augustine A, overall, looked like after taking a 6-0 lead Church with Ted Kelley White doing the scoring.

Russ Lewis swished buckets and Mark Rogers a third as CC hit the second stanza, cutting time deficit to 10. Kelley's four points were answering fire.

Lewis, Rogers and sparked Christ Church third period binge, at the St. Augustine A was down to 17-16.

But Ted Kelley through 9 points, including the foul line, took Augustine A past strength of an 11-4 fourth outburst.

Kelley finished the matching the entire Church output, pouring points, while Mike White 6 points and Tim Corbett to the lineup and fourth session basket.

Mark Rogers and bagged 8 points apiece. Dave Menard contributed fieldgoal and Mark Rogers 2 points. John Rogers well.

Christ Church, winner of its last seven regular starts after losing the completed a fine season overall.

St. Augustine B

St. Robert's A thrashing Jack Horan anyone has all season couldn't get a well offensive attack going.

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St. Augustine's Teams Finalists

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By Rick Harrison

All three semifinal playoff games in the Intermediate Division of the Andover Church Basketball League had one exciting thing in common - the fact that none of them was decided until the winner staged a solid rally in the fourth quarter.

When all the smoke had settled last Monday night at the East Junior High gym, regular-season champ St. Augustine B and runner-up St. Augustine A had battled into the Blue Division final, while Ballardvale United earned a berth in the Gold Division title game.

St. Augustine B, trailing by one point at halftime and just a single point ahead after three quarters, shook loose to defeat St. Robert's A 24-19 in one Blue Division contest.

St. Augustine A, on top by a similar single point margin entering the last period, once again received some clutch shooting from Ted Kelley to pull away from Christ Church, 28-20.

Ballardvale United, on the short end of the score following one quarter and up by two points after three stanzas, held on to nip South Church, 12-8.

The Intermediate Division season now comes to a close next Monday night with two playoff champions ready to be crowned at East Junior High.

Ballardvale United taps off against St. Augustine C in the Gold Division title clash at 6:15 p.m., while St. Augustine B collides with St. Augustine A for the Blue Division crown at 7 o'clock.

On March 24 the annual foul shooting contest at West Junior High wraps up all activities.

St. Augustine A, 28-20

St. Augustine A, now 10-1 overall, looked like a sure bet after taking a 6-0 lead over Christ Church with Ted Kelley and Mike White doing the scoring damage.

Russ Lewis swished two buckets and Mark Rogers added a third as CC hit the board in the second stanza, cutting the half-time deficit to 10-6 as Ted Kelley's four points were the lone answering fire.

Lewis, Rogers and Mark Frost sparked Christ Church on a 10-7 third period binge, and suddenly the St. Augustine A advantage was down to 17-16.

But Ted Kelley pumped through 9 points, including 3-for-3 at the foul line, to power St. Augustine A past CC on the strength of an 11-4 fourth quarter outburst.

Kelley finished the evening by matching the entire Christ Church output, pouring in 20 points, while Mike White stuffed 6 points and Tim Corkery returned to the lineup and notched a fourth session basket.

Mark Rogers and Russ Lewis bagged 8 points apiece for CC, Dave Menard contributed a fieldgoal and Mark Frost scored 2 points. John Rogers also played well.

Christ Church, which won six of its last seven regular-season starts after losing the first two, completed a fine season at 6-4 overall.

St. Augustine B, 24-19

St. Robert's A throttled high-scoring Jack Horan better than anyone has all season, but couldn't get a well-balanced offensive attack going itself,

enroute to the tough loss against undefeated St. Augustine B.

The triumph was the 11th straight without a loss for St. Augustine B, while St. Robert's A closed out its campaign at 5-5 overall.

Single buckets by Bill Caselden and Dave Barker enabled the victors to assume a 4-3 first quarter edge, as Bob Leitch countered with all three St. Robert's markers.

Leitch tacked on four more second frame points, while Phil Farr chipped in a floor connection, pushing their team ahead 9-8 at intermission as Pete Walsh and Mark Paradis answered for St. Augustine B.

Jack Horan, collared up to this point, produced his lone tally of the game in the third period to help boost the winners back in front, 12-11.

The final stanza evolved into a two-way shootout between Phil Farr and Steve Paradis, both of whom flipped in eight points during the action.

However, Bill Caselden and Dave Barker added some support with solo baskets for St. Augustine B, and that was the difference as their club came away a 24-19 victor.

Steve Paradis emerged as team high for St. Augustine B with 8 points, Bill Caselden pocketed 6, Dave Barker 4, Pete Walsh 2, Mark Paradis 2 and Jack Horan 2.

Phil Farr tossed in a game-high 12 for St. Robert's A, and Bob Leitch had 7 first-half markers.

Frank Byrne, Ken Saliba and Barry Lemieux were other standouts in a losing cause.

Next Monday evening St. Augustine A will be out to avenge its only loss of the year, a 28-22 decision to St. Augustine B.

BU Nips South, 12-8

Art Dunlavy propelled South to a 2-0 first period edge, but Ballardvale threatened to make it a runaway when Scott Williams hit four points, Todd McLeod 2

and Paul Thoday 2 in the second quarter for an 8-2 BU lead by halftime.

Dale Lattanzio put South back in the running with a pair of third period buckets, cutting the gap to 8-6.

Clutch fieldgoals from Scott Williams and Todd McLeod

provided the late insurance for BU, however, as Bruce Barnhill managed the only fourth period tally for South.

Scott Williams finished with 6 points, Todd McLeod 4 and Paul Thoday 2. Gary Forbes and Scott James also played well.

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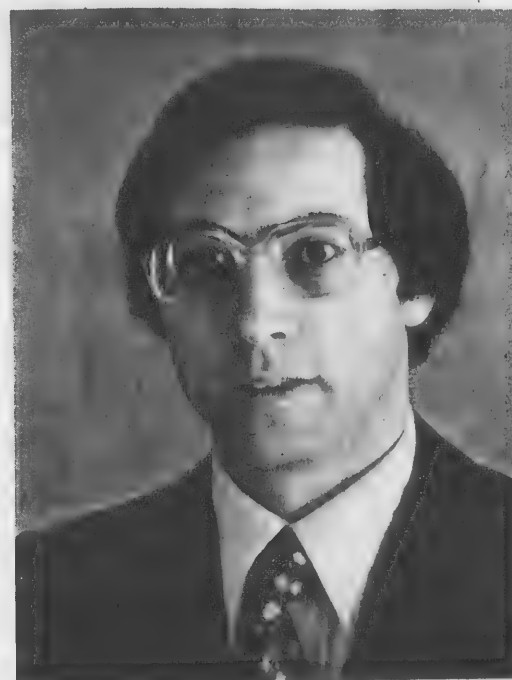
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Volleyball Tourney Begins

The Recreation - Community Schools Department Town Volleyball Tournament got underway last week as 18 teams turned out for the event. Preliminary rounds of the single elimination best two out of three tournament were played Tuesday night at the West Junior High.

In the adult division with 10 teams competing, The Off the Wallers bumped the Bumpers out of the tourney with 15-5 and 15-13 match victories. Their moments of glory were short lived as in the second round an hour later the YMCA B team sent in the semi-finals.

The Tired Tomahawks, who were knocked out of last year's tournament in the opening round, put on a good show besting the Golden Age Warriors 15-11 and

15-10. They will face the YMCA B team in the semi-finals.

The High Street Athletic Club found some stiff competition when they faced the West Juniors in the opening round. The West Juniors playing on their home court took the matches 15-8 and 15-9. Bill Doherty of the A.C. expressed some interest in holding next year's tournament at the High Street facility. He noted that his team had never played indoors and could use the outdoor court advantage.

The Skug River Raiders forced the Saints into a three game match but came up on the short end of 15-7, 6-15, 15-5 scores. The Saints obviously tucked out from their first match fell victim to the YMCA A team in the second round 15-7 and 15-8.

In High School action with eight teams competing, the Pythons hopped all over the Kangaroos taking the match 15-9; 15-11 advancing to the semi-finals.

The Midgets pulled the surprise upset of the night as they topped the "all talk but no action" Abbot Bridge Animals. 15-7, 11-15 and 16-14. Paul Rosengard, two time losing captain of the Animals, was so stunned by the upset, he began heading towards the ladies dressing room at the conclusion of the overtime match. He recovered just before entering the dressing room and was heard to say "the net was too low, the court was short and the lighting was inadequate."

The Spikers proved they were a team destined for the finals as

they walloped the Super Sophs 15-4 and 15-0. Spiker Christy Daugherty, who captained the High School girls' volleyball team this year, termed the victory "a piece of cake" and said "it tasted real good!"

In the final game, Team bested the Fools 12-10 and 15-11. Laura Rosen of the Team consistently scored on her high powered serve but after the victory she com-

mented, "that was nothing, wait till next week."

This week semi-final and final rounds were played at the West Junior High. Highlights of those games will be reported next week.

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The fast improving girls' gymnastics team Andover-North Andover moved into the heavy schedule with several against opponents of strengths.

In an open age group with the Marblehead team, at Marblehead, girls lost 72.4 - 82.4. Rasche took a first place balance beam and McKusick was third in Other competitors were Alexander, Lisa Johns, Hopwood and Emily E.

In a home meet at Lynn YMCA competition open age groups were by the Andover-North Club. Team "A" won and Team "B" won with of 76.9 - 61.7. Robin R. the outstanding individual former as she took first

Swim Classes Offered

Registrations are accepted at the Recreation Community Schools two additional spring which will be conducted Greater Lawrence Vocational Technical School swimming pool courses will be held on day evenings beginning and will run for 10 weeks.

A Water Polo and Games course for junior high students will be from 6-7:15 p.m. featuring shallow and deep water. One need not ever have water polo to enroll. to this game as well will be taught. The high dive boards will be available various relay races will be Sign up now and find out sport has gained increasing popularity in many of the throughout the nation.

A Spring Swim for high students and adults will be from 7:15-8:30 p.m. The recreational. Flutter kick the high and low dive will be available. Large set up for those wishing exercise and build endurance swimming laps.

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Y Gym Teams In Competition

The fast improving novice girls' gymnastics team of the Andover-North Andover YMCA moved into the heavy portion of its schedule with several meets against opponents of varying strengths.

In an open age group competition with the Marblehead YMCA team, at Marblehead, the local girls lost 72.4 - 82.3. Robin Rasche took a first place on the balance beam and Lynn McKusick was third in the vault. Other competitors were Cathy Alexander, Lisa Johnson, Deena Hopwood and Emily Boches.

In a home meet against the Lynn YMCA competitions in two open age groups were both won by the Andover-North Andover Club. Team "A" won 83.6 - 79.6 and Team "B" won with a score of 76.9 - 61.7. Robin Rasche was the outstanding individual performer as she took first place on

beam and tied for first in the vault. Heidi Brown took second and Deena Hopwood third in the vault and Hopwood was also third in the uneven bars. Other competitors were Kim Abate and Edith Harris. For Team "B" Verna Jean Pageau was first in the floor exercise and tied for second in the vault with Laurie Lewis. Lisa Johnson was first in the uneven bars and Emily Boches was second and both girls were tied in the floor exercise. Keri Cooper was first in the vault and other competitors were Kara Oliver, Sheri Coon and Alison Bitler.

In most recent competition the Andover-North Andover "A" team competed in open age group team event at the Needham YMCA winning 135.1 - 123.8. The outstanding individual performer was Cathy Alexander with firsts in the balance beam, floor exercise and the all-around competition and a second in vaulting. Keri Cooper was first in the vaulting, Deena Hopwood tied for

first in the uneven bars and Lisa Johnson tied for third in the balance beam. Robin Rasche took seconds in both floor exercise and the balance beam.

Program Spaces Available

There are still spaces available in the Recreation - Community Schools Spring Program. Anyone wishing to register for classes may come to the Recreation - Community Schools office weekdays from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The following courses are still open. (OR - Older Residents)

Monday: Macrame (OR), 10-11:30 a.m., Basic Bridge, 7:30-9:30 p.m., Sewing Shortcuts, 7-9 p.m., Spring Flowers, 7-9 p.m.

Tuesday: Macrame, 7-8:30 p.m., Kitchen Krafts, 8:30-10

p.m., French 3, 7:30-9:30 p.m., Belly Dancing - Intermediate, 7:30-9:30 p.m., Business Machines & Advanced Typing, 7-9 p.m., Bookkeeping 2, 7:30-9:30 p.m.

Wednesday: Shorthand Dictation, 7:30-9:30 p.m., Picture Framing, 7-9 p.m., Cooking Magic with Herbs & Spices, 7:30-9:30 p.m., Jewelry Silversmithing, 7-9 p.m.

Thursday: Pottery, 9-11 a.m., Sculpture (OR), 9:30-11 a.m., Acrylic Cloth Painting (OR), 2:15-3:45 p.m., Yoga - Intermediate, 7-8:30 p.m.,

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Graduates At Great Lakes

Navyman John K. Hilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hilton, Jr., of 207 Highland Road, Andover, was graduated from recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

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Swim Classes Offered

Registrations are now being accepted at the Recreation - Community Schools office for two additional spring courses which will be conducted in the Greater Lawrence Regional Vocational Technical High School swimming pool. Both courses will be held on Wednesday evenings beginning April 7, and will run for 10 weeks.

A Water Polo and Water Games course for junior/senior high students will be offered from 6-7:15 p.m. featuring both shallow and deep water games. One need not ever have played water polo to enroll. The basics to this game as well as others will be taught. The high and low dive boards will be available and various relay races will be held. Sign up now and find out why this sport has gained increasing popularity in many of the colleges throughout the nation.

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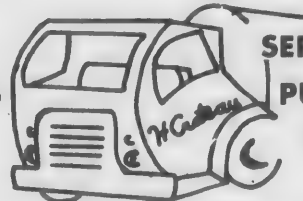
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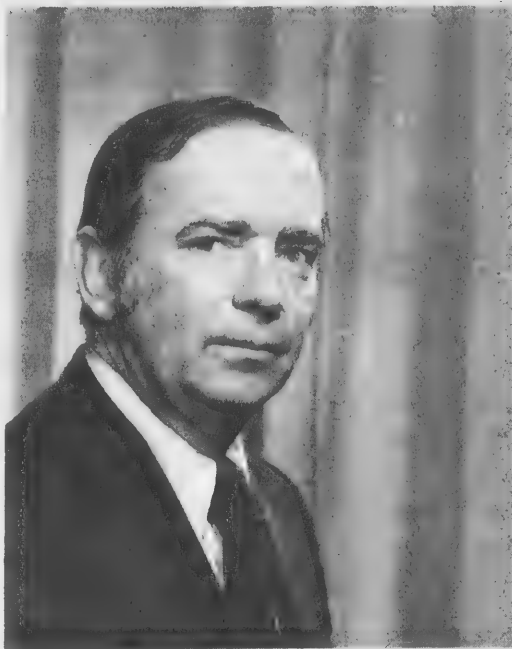
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• Education

M Ed. Occupational Education, Fitchburg State College, 1974.
B. S. Vocational Education, Fitchburg State College, 1971.
Pilot Program Training Occupational Education Administrators Strategies & Methods for Teaching Special Needs Students.
Wentworth Institute Architectural Construction 1953.
Methuen High School, 1945.

• Work Experience

Building Contractor, 10 years.
Architectural Draftsman, 2 years.
Mill Carpenter
House Carpenter

• Teaching Experience

Vocational Educator, Mill & House Carpentry, 12 years.
Apprentice Committee Carpenter, Local III.

• Administration Experience

Certified Director of Occupational Education in Comprehensive High School.
Department Chairman, Shawsheen Valley Technical High School.
Member Ad Hoc Committee for Occupational Education.
Former Director Adult Occupational Education.
Former President Shawsheen Valley Teachers Association.
Former Secretary Massachusetts Vocational Association.
Former Secretary Greater Lawrence Home Builders Association.
Former Secretary Greater Lawrence Jaycees.

• Organizations

American Vocational Association.
Men's Guild, St. Robert's Church.

• Veteran

United States Navy.

• Status

Greater Lawrence residents, 37 years.
Andover resident, 10 years.
Married to former Cynthia Hyder.
Father of three children.

• Objectives

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Implement Occupational Education into Comprehensive High Schools

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Baptist

Andover Baptist Church
Rev. Earl Robinson, Pastor
Essex St., Andover
THURSDAY: 7:15 p.m. Lenten Midweek Service with special speaker, Mr. Edwin Buttmann of Lawrence.
SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School classes from age 2

through adults. 10:45 a.m. Lenten service with sermon by the pastore on "The Cross in the Psalms" continuing the series on "The Cross of Christ". Nursery for infants through age 5 led by Mrs. Everett LaRose. Junior Church for age 6 through 12 led by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mattes. 11:50 a.m. Membership Committee meets at church. 6 p.m. Senior High youth meet in church parlor. 7 p.m. Evening service in cooperation with First-Calvary Baptist Church of Lawrence featuring Dr. John Scammon speaking on "The Portrait of Jesus in Mark."

Judson Memorial Baptist Church, S.B.C.
Rev. Ray Allen, Pastor
North Andover Community Center
SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School, all ages; 10:45 a.m. Worship, Nursery care provided; 6 p.m. Evening Worship, nursery care provided.

Bible Chapels

Andover Bible Chapel
266 Lowell St., Andover
SUNDAY: 9:15 a.m. Communion Service; 11 a.m. Morning Service and Sunday School; 7 p.m. Evening Service; Nursery available.

Fellowship Bible Chapel
Rev. Joseph Stringer
525 Turnpike St., North Andover
SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Worship Service.

Catholic

St. Augustine's Church
Rev. Edward Robinson, O.S.A. Pastor
43 Essex St., Andover
SATURDAY: Masses 4 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.
SUNDAY: Masses at 8, 10, 11:15 a.m.; 12:30, 5:30 p.m.
Daily Masses: 8 a.m., 5:30 p.m.
Holy Day Masses: 7, 8, 10:30 a.m.; 5:30 and 7 p.m. Evening before - 4 and 5:30 p.m.
Penance: Before daily Masses. Saturday: 3:30 - 4; 5 - 5:30; 7:30 - 8.
Baptisms: Fourth Sunday of the month. Expecting parents should contact the rectory prior to the child's birth to register for Baptismal workshop.

St. Robert Bellarmine Church
Rev. William J. Fitzgerald Pastor
Haggetts Pond Road, Andover
SATURDAY: Mass at 5 p.m.
SUNDAY: Masses at 7:30, 9 and 11:30 a.m.
Confessions heard before all Masses except 7:30 a.m.

St. Joseph's Church
High St., Ballardvale
SUNDAY: Masses 9, 10:15 and 11:30 a.m. Confessions heard before Mass. Holyday Mass 9 a.m.

St. Michael's Church
Rev. Frederick J. Minigan Pastor
196 Main St., North Andover
SATURDAY: Masses at 4, 5:30 and 7 p.m.
SUNDAY: Masses at 7, 8, 9:15, 10:30 a.m. and 12 noon, 5:30 p.m.
Daily Mass at 6:45 a.m. and 9 a.m.

Christian Science

First Church of Christ Scientist
278 No. Main St., Andover
SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Sunday School; nursery available; Church Services. Subject of lesson sermon: "Matter". Evening services every first and third Sunday at 7 p.m.
WEDNESDAY: 8 p.m. Testimony Meeting.

Congregational

Free Christian Church
Rev. Richard B. Balmforth Pastor
31 Elm St., Andover
SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Worship Service - Sermon "Roses in December" by the Rev. Richard B. Balmforth. Nursery Care provided. 10:30 a.m. Church School. 2:30 p.m. Pilgrim Fellowship.

Episcopal

Christ Church
Rev. J. Edison Pike, Rector
25 Central St., Andover
St. Paul's Episcopal Church
390 Main St., North Andover
SUNDAY: 8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10 a.m. Family Service, Church School.

Jewish

Temple Emanuel
483 Lowell St., Lawrence
Rabbi Harry A. Roth
Cantor Irving Shuman
FRIDAY: 8:15 p.m.
SATURDAY: 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
SUNDAY: 9 a.m.

Lutheran

Faith Lutheran Church
Rev. Donald B. Myrom, Pastor
360 So. Main St., Andover
SUNDAY: 9:15 a.m. Sunday School for Grades 3 through 7. Adult Forum; Nursery. 10:30 a.m. The Service; Nursery. Sermonette for children. Sunday school for Age 4 through Grade 2. Sermon: "Reappreciating The Ten Commandments".

Unitarian

Unitarian-Universalist Church
244 Lowell St., Andover
Dr. Randolph W. Becker Minister
SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Adult Discussion Group over Coffee. 10:30 a.m. Religious Education Program for ages 1 - junior high. Worship Service: Guest Speaker Rev. Judith Urquhart, "The American Way of Violence". The Reverend Urquhart is Minister to the Unitarian Universalist Church in Stoneham; educated at Oxford, she has served churches in England and Belgium as well as the U.S. 6 p.m. Junior High Course: "About Your Sexuality".
TUESDAY: 6 p.m. Men's Group Dinner and Meeting.
WEDNESDAY: 6 p.m. Potluck

Dinner: 7:30 p.m. Open discussion on Religious Education Curriculum for 1976-1977.

Unitarian Church
Rev. David M. Blanchard
190 Academy Road
North Andover
SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Worship Service.

United Church Of Christ

South Church
Rev. Dr. J. Everett Bodge
41 Central St., Andover
SUNDAY: 9:30 Adult Study Groups. 10:30 Crib Room through Grade 8. Worship Service.
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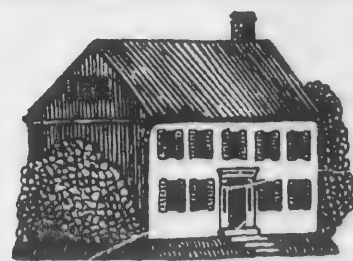


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OBITUARIES

DOROTHY GAGNE

Mrs. Dorothy (Fogg) Gagne, 82, 40C Washington Park Drive, treasurer of the Allied Paint Stores in Lawrence, died March 8 at Lawrence General Hospital after a short illness.

Born in Lynn, Aug. 19, 1893, she was a graduate of Lynn High School. Mrs. Gagne had been a resident of Andover for the past 43 years. She was past president of the Shawsheen Village Women's Club, honorary trustee of the Lawrence General Hospital Hospitality Shop, and a longtime member of the Noon Auxiliary of Grace Church in Lawrence.

The widow of Joseph T. Gagne, she is survived by a son, Robert P. Gagne of Salem, N.H.; two sisters, Mrs. Josephine Spaulding of Lynn, and Mrs. Ethel Gregg of Newport, N.H.; two grandsons and a granddaughter.

Funeral services were held Friday at 2 p.m. at the Funeral Chapel of J.B. Emmert and Sons, 93 East Haverhill St., Lawrence. Burial was in Spring Grove Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Elisabeth L. Sutherland Scholarship Fund at Lawrence General Hospital.

LUCY BECKWITH

Mrs. Lucy (Craik) Beckwith, 69, formerly of Andover and Boston, 49 Astor St., Lynn, died suddenly Friday at her home.

Born in Andover, she was the daughter of the late James and Lucy Craik.

She is survived by her husband, Henry Beckwith, two daughters, Mrs. Bernice Oberson of Washington, two grandchildren, Henry and Heather Oberson of Washington and two nephews.

Funeral services were held Monday at the T.W. Rhodes Funeral Home, Lynn. Burial was in Spring Grove Cemetery.

REV. WENDELL R. BAILEY

Rev. Wendell L. Bailey, 58, of Northville, Mich., died in Lakes Region General Hospital, Laconia, N.H., Saturday after a short illness. He had been visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Walter Bailey.

A native of Springfield, Oregon, he was a graduate of Colgate University and received his masters degree from Colgate-Rochester Divinity School. Rev. Mr. Bailey has served as pastor of the Baptist Church in Melrose, Mass., from 1949 to 1952, when he joined the U.S. Air Force as a chaplain.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Plymouth,

Mich., St. Matthew Chapter A.F. & A.M. of Andover, Mass., the National Historical Society and the Ministers' Council of American Baptist Church.

Besides his parents, he is survived by a son, Richard A. Bailey of Plymouth, Mich.; a daughter, Mrs. Wendy B. Bigelow of Ann Arbor, Mich.; a sister, Mrs. Robert Winship of Baldwinville, N.Y., and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Schrader Funeral Home in Plymouth, Michigan.

JOHN H. LEARY

John H. Leary, 76, 245 Osgood St., North Andover, died Tuesday at Lawrence General Hospital, following a long illness.

A member of St. Augustine's parish, Andover, he was a retired operative at the Bolta Rubber Co., Lawrence.

He is survived by four sisters, Misses Catherine T. and Mary B. Leary of North Andover; Mrs. Margaret Szymanowski of Andover and Anne L., wife of James Murphy of Beverly and a nephew, James Murphy, Jr., of Beverly.

A funeral Mass will be offered Saturday at 10 a.m. in St. Augustine's Church. Burial will be in Immaculate Conception Cemetery, Lawrence.

Friends may call at Lundgren Funeral Home, 18 Elm St., Andover, Friday from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.

Births...

HOWES - A son, Christopher Michael, March 9, at Winchester Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Bradley P. Howes, 1 Lansbury Lane, Andover. The mother was Patricia Naples.

COMEAU - A son, Feb. 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Comeau, 32 Albert Ave., Haverhill, formerly of Andover.

COOKSON - A daughter, Laurie Ann, March 14, at Lawrence General Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cookson, 154 High St., Andover. The mother was Cynthia Wharton.

HOSMER - A son, March 12, at Bon Secours Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hosmer, 38 Grey Road, Andover. The mother was Suzanne Miller.

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Grade 1

Laurie Sue Adams, son, Colleen Dowd, Foner, Thomas K. Coleen Griggs, Hollenbeck, Mark I. Larry C. Starr, Diane E. Yeates, Cynthia Meredith L. Young.

Grade 1

Geoffrey J. Bragdon, Burke, Suzanne Casan, Cohen, Kathy Hagerty, L. Iacobo, Donna Roberta M. Meisner, Mesler, Donna Pantak, Polyak, Sandra R. R. G. Robinson, Maria, Peter H. Scheinfeld, Souter, Jeffrey B. S.

Honors

Grade 1

Margaret M. Allen, Bateson, Teresa K. Cocuzzo, Wendy Cool, Dana, Ralph M. Dou, Farnham, Cheryl E. Maureen S. Gildea, F. Holly F. Howard, Kleschinsky, Timothy, Linda Lutsch, McKallagat, Martha, Kristin Nelson, Laurie, Lisa A. Pennic, Rockwood, James, Mitchell J. Sawaya, Starr, Kevin Sweeney, Tremblay, David, Patricia White, Joyce, Lee Ann Charmichael, Jane E. Austin, Boyav, George B. Cohen, Scott Coop, Dang, Bruce D. Febres, James F. Laurie B. Gould, Ka, Janet E. Krull, Lewis, Debra L. Minicucci, Judith, Robin J. Otto, Lynn, George Rangas, Rockwood, Ann M. L. Seely, Albert J. Rebecca A. Taylor, VanVleet, Lee Williams, Maria, Carol A. Barlow, Buck, Susan J. Collins, Sheila J. Donnelly, Lesley, James F. Ferreira, Franz, Karen D. Hatfield, Laura A. Labosco, Leslie Liv, A. McAdams, Teresa, Bradley L. Munn, Packard, John A. S. Reynolds, Lamont, Catherine A. Sagaser, Shea, Sheryl L. Tetrault, Ellen, Beverly A. White, Sandra Bartoshev, Burke, Brian K. Cla

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Grade 11

Laurie Sue Adams, Ian Atkinson, Colleen Dowd, Patricia L. Foner, Thomas K. Gender, Coleen Griggs, Brian Hollenbeck, Mark D. O'Brien, Larry C. Starr, Diane Syiek, Sally E. Yeates, Cynthia Young, Meredith L. Young.

Grade 10

Geoffrey J. Bragdon, Maureen Burke, Suzanne Casanue, Susan Cohen, Kathy Hagerty, Catherine L. Iacobo, Donna S. Levin, Roberta M. Meisner, Doug F. Mesler, Donna Pantaleo, Joanne Polyak, Sandra R. Rigazio, Lica G. Robinton, Maria Sandefor, Peter H. Scheinfein, Charles R. Souter, Jeffrey B. Swartz.

Honors Grade 12

Margaret M. Allen, Lawrie E. Bateson, Teresa K. Burns, Ann Cocuzzo, Wendy Coombes, Keith Dana, Ralph M. Doughty, Mark Farnham, Cheryl E. Fogarty, Maureen S. Gildea, Robie Grant, Holly F. Howard, John H. Kleschinsky, Timothy D. Leroy, Linda Lutsch, Karen A. McKallagat, Martha A. Morreo, Kristin Nelson, Laurie A. Pantaleo, Lisa A. Pennick, Russell J. Rockwood, James R. Rush, Mitchell J. Sawaya, Suzanne Starr, Kevin Sweeney, Joanne M. Tremblay, David C. Welber, Patricia White, Joyce L. Wolfe, Lee Ann Charmichael.

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Carol A. Barlow, Barry R. Buck, Susan J. Childs, Carolyn Collins, Sheila J. Cox, Susan R. Donnelly, Lesley J. Downs, James F. Ferreira, Scott H. Franz, Karen D. Grande, Kim S. Hatfield, Laura A. Iacobo, Rick Labosco, Leslie Livingston, Jean A. McAdams, Teresa Moranville, Bradley L. Munn, David L. Packard, John A. Parrotta, Sallie S. Reynolds, Lamont A. Rodger, Catherine A. Sagaser, Timothy J. Shea, Sheryl L. Stephens, Janet L. Tetreault, Ellen S. Vondell, Beverly A. White, Lori Wilson, Sandra Bartoshevich, Andrea Burke, Brian K. Clark, Kathleen

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Grade 11

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Sumner, Cathy L. Taylor, Pamela A. Webster, Diane C. Young, Laurie A. Zimmerman, Ellen Gable.

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Bonnie L. Ross, Patti Spiegel, Thomas G. Sullivan, Leonard J. Tatem, Cheryl A. Webb, Cynthia Young, Clare M. Zemis.

Grade 10

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By Linda S. Corbett

A hint of spring and a big cast of candidates combined Monday night, to draw a larger-than-usual crowd to the League of Women Voters' candidates night.

West Elementary School's auditorium was almost filled to capacity.

Presentations by the seven selectman candidates were laced with some levity, as they attempted to revitalize the downtown business district and control town growth.

Five school committee candidates in turn wrestled with a solution to overcrowding in the secondary schools, the traditional alternative, and the like.

There are two seats open on both boards, in Monday's town election.

Mrs. Sue Tucker, League president, served as moderator, emphasizing that the league itself does not endorse candidates, even though individual members may work for candidates of their choice.

She first introduced William Dalton, who once more is running unopposed for Moderator.

Dalton claimed to be a living example that history repeats itself, since some 15 years ago, as president of the Andover High Student Council, he spoke on the same subject: apathy.

Taxpayers may be abdicating their responsibilities by sitting back with the attitude that there's not much they can do about government, he said.

"If you're dissatisfied with things as they are," he said, "make yourself participate."

"Voting may not even be enough," he went on. "You must criticize . . . work to govern ourselves."

Voke School

Tackling the question of how to involve more Andover High and junior high pupils in the Voke Tech program, were James A. Booth and John P. Childs, who are running for one three-year term on the board of the Greater Lawrence Vocational School.

Booth suggested closed circuit TV, schools on wheels, satellite courses, and shared time programs.

Schools on wheels, he said, were the most practical in terms of a pupil retaining identity with his school and his friends. He suggested starting with four mobile schools, teaching four different skills. Each would spend one term at each school.

Childs recommended making the afternoon programs more meaningful, or allowing pupils to go part-time to Andover High and part-time to the Voke School.

AHS pupils could also take advantage of the Voke's even-

ing program, particularly when enrollment drops off in the winter.

Selectmen

Stanley Nabydowski drew the leadoff slot for the Selectmen candidates.

His primary idea for revitalizing the central business district was to keep Andover's money within the town, and attract outside business as well.

He proposed a Keep Andover Strong-Support Andover Business campaign, complete with decals that could be sold to help finance festivals and other special events that would in turn attract outside business.

"Our real problem is cash flow," he said. "We've got to shut the door to keep money from leaving the state. That would create our own economic boom."

Donald T. Coleman's solution was to keep the U. S. Post Office in the central business district, so that local consumers and businesses have easy access to its services.

He said he had arranged for a meeting for last night at the library, with representatives from the Post Office, business and government.

Coleman had also brought along petitions to be signed and concluded that he was dedicated to the Post Office effort, even if he wasn't elected.

Mrs. Susan Poore said that revitalization was not a new problem, and that Andover's self-image, according to a survey last fall, was that of a small, colonial town.

Revitalization could come through four means, she said: administration, spearheaded by the selectmen, planning, with studies of traffic flow, parking and lighting; "training" of downtown merchants; and promotion.

The biggest drawing card of downtown, Mrs. Poore said, is "that personal touch" of the shops, plus the sidewalk bazaars, "coffee in the bank," and the like.

Richard J. Bowen agreed that Andover residents want a strong central business district and said one way to revitalize would be via the "cosmetics of good housekeeping."

"Why can't the sidewalks be clean?" he asked. "Or litter baskets emptied once a day." Lighting could be more attractive, he said, wires put underground, more benches added.

He also did not accept the inevitability of a high rate of town growth.

"I don't think we should be fatalistic about growth," he said. "We should face the problem and decide what we're going to do about it."

Atty. Lawrence Sullivan said



School Committee Candidates

revitalization should NOT include a glut of businesses inconsistent with the character of the town, or moving the post office out of the central business district without leaving at least an adjunct.

On the other hand, he said, revitalization IS foresight and planning, and he used as a "good" example, the intown mall and parking planned by the Andover Savings Bank.

Revitalization is also planned growth without infringing on surrounding residential areas, he said, and most of all, "it is cooperative effort."

George Connors agreed that the appearance of downtown has to be improved.

"If it's not clean and attractive," he said, "people won't want to come here." He suggested that CETA employees might be put to work sprucing things up.

Connors also suggested improving the downtown traffic and parking situations by rerouting through traffic around the central business district, from Converse Rubber off of North Main Street, to Phillips Academy via Railroad Avenue and Central Street.

To George Lannan, the most important question in revitalization is parking.

"There's no place to put it," he said, "so we'll have to work with what we have."

He recommended two-hour meters in the two town lots, leaving the on-street slots un-metered, but with a one-hour limit.

Sacred Heart

A difference of opinion arose over the possible purchase of Sacred Heart, a question from the audience asked specifically of Sullivan.

He objected to the purchase primarily, he said, because no particular use has been proffered for it.

Coleman also was not in favor.

"We cannot afford Sacred Heart School," he said, "and we don't have a need for it this year."

Bowen on the other hand supported acquisition of Sacred Heart because the land associated with it "is most important to the town and to the future of Shawsheen Village."

"The last thing we need is houses constructed on small lots down there," he said, adding that the use to which the school would be put "is a non-issue at this time."

Mrs. Poore concurred. The school could serve as a temporary solution to the population crunch in the secondary schools, she said, and in the long run, "there are many uses to which it could be put."

Connors agreed that it was a "very valuable piece of property" and added that in the long-term it could be used for light office space.

Lannan called it "about the best parcel" of all those offered about for town purchase.

Town Expenses

In answer to how they could control town expenditures, Lannan said he had been attending selectmen meetings since last May, and favored the way they were doing it now.

Sullivan agreed the board is doing a good job, but said that a better job could be done, in light of a possible 20 percent tax increase. He called for the selectmen to set a tenor of "fiscal common sense."

Connors said he would try to see that money was spent wisely and efficiently and Mrs. Poore said that individual citizens must realize that their input is critical as well.

"Every year is 'a bad year' in Andover," Bowen said, calling the town "properly but overly

concerned" about the cost of local government.

The problems are associated with growth and, he said, the town has done nothing about growth in the past 15 years but acquires some conservation land.

"It's not a question of being fiscally liberal or conservative," he went on. "What we need is to be fiscally creative -- to get a bigger bang for the buck."

For instance, he said, doubling the number of police patrol vehicles, with one man instead of two in each, would double police protection for less than one quarter the cost.

Nabydowski's answer to fiscal woes centered around opposition to a solid waste facility in Haverhill.

This is another example of money getting out of state, he said, since "the Haverhill outfit" is based in Chicago.

"We talk about pollution," he said, "but 100,000 trucks a year will be coming into Haverhill, and 'most of them will be screaming diesels.'"

He said using the facility would cost the town enormously over the years. "Maybe there's a better idea down the road," he said. "Let the private sector handle it."

Coleman advocated a four percent cut in the budget of every town department.

"Do we need color Touch Tone phones in every Town Hall office?" he asked.

He also charged that the police department uses "gas guzzlers," and invited the audience to "please join me at the FinCom meeting on Tuesday."

Traffic

On a traffic question, Coleman favored mass transportation within the town, and said the selectmen's decision not to join the Merrimack Valley Transit Authority was "cheating the population."

Bowen asked if there really was a traffic problem.

"We cherish that it's a small town," he said. "How long does it really take to get through downtown Andover? You can park at one end of the business district and walk to the other end in minutes."

Mrs. Poore said she appreciated driving slowly through Elm Square with a campaign sign on top of her car.



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A Report To The Townspeople

Andover's Administration

The Chairman's Report



Milton Greenberg
Chairman



Board of Selectmen

Town Hall, 20 Main Street
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March 1, 1976

Dear Fellow Citizen:

It is that time of year when we match our wish list with the means at our disposal. This year, as I have previously commented on September 4, 1974 and February 20, 1975 concerning the previous two years, each one of us will be faced with making very difficult decisions at Town Meeting.

This year, however, there is a subtle but important distinction: Resources available to us from outside Andover are decreasing, whereas requests for appropriations to meet our desires are increasing. Thus, even a "no increase performance budget" philosophy would result in a built-in tax increase. Many factors are at work exacerbating this difficult situation: For example, County expenses are up for Andover, largely because of Massachusetts law and philosophy which states that Andover (as a "wealthy" community) must pay more than the so-called "poorer" communities; State reimbursements are being reduced to cover programs mandated by the State and originally implemented under the spurious promise by Governors that the State would pick up the bill; the fiscal position of the State remains more precarious than ever; and inflation, though appearing to abate, insidiously eats away at our common purchasing power.

So as you read this report of stewardship for what has happened in the past year, you must ask yourself if we can persevere in maintaining the quality of life in Andover and at what cost. You can do your duty by attending Town Meeting and participating responsibly in its deliberations.

And I cannot end this letter without publicly recognizing the service of Town employees as well as the voluntary work of fellow citizens who helped keep Andover in the front ranks of Massachusetts communities.

Sincerely,

Milton Greenberg
Milton Greenberg
Chairman



George E. Heseltine



Edmund J. Sullivan, Jr.

Board Of Selectmen



Janet D. Lake



Alan F. French

CETA Program Mutually Beneficial



J. Maynard Austin
Town Manager

The CETA Program (Comprehensive Employment Training Act) proved to be mutually beneficial to the town and to the participants.

A federally subsidized program to provide unemployed persons with transitional jobs in needed public services, resulted in up to 40 persons working in various town departments.

Nearly all of the employees will be out of the program by mid-1976, but since October, 1974, the town has had the services of such as an assistant assessor, survey team members for the engineering department, custodial help, laborers, painters, dispatchers for the public safety department, and secretarial assistance.

Overall, the program had benefits in the area of assisting those affected by the heavy unemployment in the area, and the town, in obtaining additional needed services.



Sheldon Cohen
Assistant Manager

The Cover

Andover's Bicentennial logo is featured on the cover of this year's annual report supplement, as indicative of the town's participation in the national observance.

The logo was designed by James Batchelder of Argilla Road and was one of over 80 entries submitted in a contest to select an emblem for the town's program.

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Active Committee Produces Fitting Andover Bicentennial Tribute



Bicentennial Planning Committee

Planning the many events which contribute to the ambitious Andover Bicentennial observance program are, from left, Donald Hayes, Jr., Mrs. Dorothy Hill, Gary Ralph, Joan Dill, Barbara Lampe, Dorothy Sherrerd, Helen Watkinson, Col. Edward Harris (Ret.), John Lewis, Barbara Saulnier, George Glennie, James McLeod, William Hart, Sidney P. White and Norma Gammon, chairman. Absent when picture was taken were Virginia Cole and Frank Demers.

On April 19, 1775, two companies of Andover Minutemen answered the miles to Lexington, then 15 miles more to Cambridge, in pursuit of the British.

At exactly noon on April 19, 1975, the bells of Andover churches and public buildings chimed 41 times in mourning for the colonists who died in those opening shots of the War for Independence, 200 years before.

While the bells struck at the very heart of the Bicentennial, the whole year, 1975, was marked by a host of observances and an awakening of interest in Andover's past.

Officially in charge was the Andover Bicentennial Committee, headed by Mrs. Donald Gammon. The committee was formed early in the year and set out to educate today's townspeople about what their predecessors and the area were like during Revolutionary times — as well as leave something of permanence for the generations to come.

The committee got a shot in the arm when the Town Meeting gave it \$17,000 in funds, and yet another boost came with the acceptance of Andover as an official Bicentennial Community. That gleaned the town \$3,000 in matching state funds for a Historic District Study.

Some 86 designs were entered in the committee's search for a "logo" to commemorate the town's participation in the Bicentennial.

Selected was the work of James Batchelder of Argilla Road — a rendition of Town Hall surrounded by a blue star and seven red stripes on a white background. Each point of the star was crossed to form the letter "A."

About that time the committee also took issue with the Postmaster General of the United States over issuance of a commemorative stamp in Cambridge.

The stamp honors Salem Poor, one of the first black heroes of the Revolution. Poor, a black slave, who had been freed by his master, John Poor of Andover, served through most of the Revolution as a member of the First Andover Company.

Research here indicated that Poor may have enlisted in Cambridge, but doubtless with a company from his home town of Andover.

The committee's letter asked the Postal Department how Poor was chosen to be honored by the stamp, and why Cambridge, rather than Andover, was selected as the place of the first issue.

No response ever came from the Post Office.

In the "Spirit of '76," Andover schools held a week-long commemoration May 26 to 31, with such activities as quilt-making, edition of a Bicentennial newspaper, reenactment of the battles of Concord and Bunker Hill, reproduction of Colonial school rooms, outdoor barbecues, colonial lunches, musical programs, colonial shoemaking, a field day of games of the Revolutionary period, the planting of Liberty trees, and much more.

A modern-day call for Minutemen was answered by a group of Andover residents and, under the leadership of Capt. Edward Parker, they marched for the first time on June 20, dur-

ing Andover's annual Sidewalk Bazaar.

The revived militia tried to reproduce the dress and armament of their predecessors, and trained under the West Parish Militia of Saugus in 18th Century drill. Members of the November Club presented the company with a Bunker Hill flag.

At the Memorial Day parade, soon after Andover had become an official Bicentennial Town, Congressman Paul Tsongas presented the town with an official Bicentennial Flag.

The Committee got the town's permission to use the policeman's booth at Elm Square as an information booth, and it was decorated and manned through the summer and fall by members of the Shawsheen Woman's Club. They sold tri-corner hats and Andover Bicentennial buttons and maps. Behind the booth, a "calendar of events" sign was built by the high school industrial arts department.

Among the most successful ventures — so popular they'll be repeated in the spring of 1976 — were the Bicentennial bus tours of Andover on four Sundays in October.

Beginning at the Amos Blanchard House, headquarters of the Andover Historical Society, the buses drove past many of Andover's 17th Century and early 18th Century homes, while costumed guides presented a running commentary.

Hostesses took the groups through the Chandler-Bigsby Abbot House on Lowell Street, and tour-goers alighted once more later on, for a look inside Phillips Academy's Bulfinch Hall.

At the end of the tours there was cider and old-fashioned gingerbread on the lawn of the Town Hall.

Also in October, the committee hosted the Mayor of Andover, England, and his wife, for a tour of the town, a Minute-man demonstration, and luncheon.

In late fall, Andover's official Bicentennial commemorative medallions, collectors' items individually numbered in sterling silver, or unnumbered in pewter, arrived.

Designed by a committee headed by Mrs. Barbara Saulnier, the medals are symbolic of Andover, with the Town Seal struck on one side, surrounded by the words, "American Revolution Bicentennial" and the dates, "1776-1976."

On the flip sides are the busts of the Samuels Phillips, Jr. and Sr., the Bicentennial logo and, in the border, a small cannon representing the powder mill established in Andover in support of the Continental Army and sea forces in 1776.

Number One of the silver medallions was presented to the Town, to be placed in the archives.

Also eventually destined for the archives, is the Bicentennial Quilt, a project undertaken by a group of Andover women who each made a square depicting some local spot of historic importance.

The quilt will be entered in various Bicentennial competitions before being retired to permanent exhibit in the town.

Another Bicentennial project of potential permanence, is

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New Police Members

Joining the Andover police department this past year and completing courses at the State Police Academy, Framingham, were from left, Arthur Ricci, Frank Froburg and Kevin Burke.



Police Dispatchers

Civilian dispatchers handing communications at the Andover police department are, Wanda Batchelder, seated; and standing, from left, Donald Pattullo, Robert Hughes and Kevin Winters.

Fire Dept. Activity Increased During Year

Activity of the Andover fire department increased during the past 18-month period, with 3130 service calls handled for the period in 1973-74, the department had 2,942 calls.

Approximate loss from fire during the last year and one-half was \$423,347.43, with the major cause of fire being listed as carelessness.

For a period extending into the early part of 1975,

the department faced a serious problem of combatting the work of arsonists. Several major fires were started by persons later apprehended for the offenses and handled by the courts.

One area of concern is the increase in the number of false alarms. Last year there were 101 false alarms, as compared to 79 the year before.

During 1975, Andover either assisted at fires or filled in at stations in

other communities on mutual aid calls.

There were 1,003 ambulance calls during the '74-'75 period, another increase from the 846 calls in the prior 18-months.

Officers of the department conduct inspections of public buildings and conduct fire drills in schools periodically during the year and in 1975 made 1628 inspections and conducted 189 fire drills.

Housebreaks, Car Thefts Plague Police Dept.

Housebreaks and stolen cars, problems facing all communities, have plagued Andover police this past year.

The general statistical breakdown of matters handled by the police during 1975 varied little from past year except in the two particular areas.

During the past there were 331 house breaks investigated by Andover police as compared to 262 the previous year.

Publicity concerning the breaks, as well as response to requests for a citizens alert throughout the town, have provided some help in reducing the number of breaks from time to time throughout the year, but the overall losses experienced by Andover residents was generally high during the year.

Special engraving machines have been available at the police station for use by residents to mark valuables with social security numbers. The action acts as a deterrent to criminals since the items become easily traceable.

Despite efforts, the number of breaks was still up and is a type of crime plaguing the whole area and difficult to solve. In 1975, Andover police had 25 arrests, 16 of them juveniles in connection with house breaks.

Car thefts are also on the increase, with 140 reported stolen to Andover police in 1975. By an unusual circumstance, there were 144 stolen vehicles recovered in Andover, indicating that the town is a dumping ground for stolen cars, over half of them burned.

There are still problems with stolen bicycles, with the police continuing to ask local residents to abide by town bylaws which require bicycles to be registered with the department.

Vandalism is another problem on the rise, with 570 cases reported this past year, as compared to 381 the year previous. Incidents include complaints of blowing up of mailboxes and damaging expensive construction equipment.

During 1975, police investigated 754 motor vehicle accidents, five of them involving fatalities, and had 663 cases prosecuted in court, 494 for motor vehicle violations. Other court proceedings involved 11 drug cases, 25 larcenies, ten assault and battery, 25 breaking and entering, one case of arson and three armed robbery cases.

The department had two murder investigations during the year, one a murder-suicide, the other a slaying on Route 93, still unsolved.

Also, during the year, there were 5,558 parking violations issued, with all fines being returned to the town.

There were some significant changes made in the personnel of the police department in the past year, with two officers resigning, two additional civilian dispatchers hired, providing a dispatcher on duty throughout the 24-hour period.

A safety car was acquired through federal fundings and is used by the safety officer for use in school and safety training work.

Appointment of three permanent officers to replace those who had left the department has resulted in the full complement of the law enforcement agency containing a chief, three lieutenants, five sergeants and 32 patrolmen. There are also 15 crossing guards, two reserve officers, four dispatchers, two clerks.

During the year 12 officers were attending college, and three received Bachelor's degrees. Many of the officers also attended special seminars and courses related to their police work.

Mayoral Visit



Youngsters present gifts to Mayor and Mrs. Lance Barrett of Andover, England, during their visit here in October. The Andover, England mayor was guest at several local events and viewed operations of his namesake community during weekend visit.



Ready For Occupancy Early 1976

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Construction of third senior citizen complex, introduced some new subsidizing programs and executive director for year 1975 for the Housing Authority.

The new elderly project is expected ready for occupancy early 1976 and will provide seven units for handicapped and 89 units on the Curran Estate Main Street.

Completion of the new plant will provide a total of 40 units for the town citizens. The other projects of 40 units are located at Grandview and Chestnut Court.

Construction of Main Street project cost \$1,973,096. J

W Met Aid

The new water plant, on line for in 1975, has not only provided a valuable service to Andover, but also a showplace for visitors.

The new plant and pumped 1,272,724,000 gallons of water in the end of 1975. In the months of operation the plant pumped 272,724,000 gallons into Haggetts Pond, Fish Brook and 272,724,000 gallons from the River.

Usefulness of the plant was demonstrated by the maintenance of a high level at Haggetts Pond, the main reservoir.

Synopsis of Action Taken At The 1975 Annual Town Meeting

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Bylaws:

- Refused to eliminate the necessity of a quorum at annual and special town meetings.
- Refused to eliminate the Annual Special October Town Meeting.
- Restricted the use of alcoholic beverages in public areas.
- Required vaccination of dogs against rabies.
- Increased the license fee for dogs.
- Imposed a restriction on dogs from running at large on trash collection day.
- Imposed a \$25 fine for violating the laws relating to dogs.
- Required merchants to shovel their sidewalks in the Central Business District.
- Imposed restrictions on soliciting.

Zoning:

- Authorized temporary use of mobile homes in certain situations.
- Refined the meaning of a junk and scrap yard relating to junk cars.

Land Acquisition:

- Authorized the Conservation Commission, with approval of the Selectmen, to acquire parcels of land in seven different locations within the Town for conservation purposes.

Other Matters:

- Accepted four streets.
- Authorized Town officials to petition the General Court for an Act exempting employees of the Engineering Division of the Department of Public Works from Civil Service.
- Appropriations**
- Operating Budgets**
- By taxation \$16,740,370.98
- From Available Funds \$116,924.02
- Federal Revenue Sharing \$490,000.00
- State Highway Aid \$174,795.00
- Special Articles**
- By Taxation \$200,111.42
- From Available Funds 150,091.25
- Borrowing Authorizations**
- Elm Street Water Main 140,000.00
- Free Cash**
- Authorized use to reduce the tax rate . \$1,200,000.00

Special April Town Meeting

Appropriations:

- Supplemental appropriations for fiscal '75 ... \$94,200.00
- Bicentennial Celebration 17,000.00
- MBTA 20,000.00

ByLaws:

- Changed the date for the submission of the Town Manager's budget to the third Friday of January.
- Moved Town election to the fourth Monday of March.

October Town Meeting

Zoning:

- Approved rezoning of a parcel of land on North Main St. to allow the Andover Companies to construct an off-street parking lot.

Property Acquisition:

- Authorized the acquisition of the so-called Theater Property abutting Essex Street, Pearson Street and the Memorial Hall Library lot.

Garbage Collection:

- Defeated an article to require the Town Manager to contract for separate garbage collection.

Street Acceptances:

- Accepted 14 new streets.



Ready For Occupancy In Early 1976

The new senior citizen complex, built under the direction of the Andover Housing Authority, will be ready for occupancy in early 1976. The 96 units, including seven for handicapped, are on the former Curran estate of North Main street.

New Elderly Units Nearing Completion

Construction of the town's third senior citizen housing complex, introduction of some new subsidized housing programs and a new executive director marked the year 1975 for the Andover Housing Authority.

The new elderly housing project is expected to be ready for occupancy in early 1976 and will include seven units for handicapped and 89 units on the former Curran Estate on North Main Street.

Completion and occupancy of the new complex will provide a total of 176 units for the town's senior citizens. The other two projects of 40 units each are located at Grandview Terrace and Chestnut Court.

Construction of the North Main Street project will cost \$1,973,096. John Tucci



Thomas R. Walsh
New Director

and Son, Construction Co., was awarded the contract for the state-aided project.

Edward Manning, executive director for the housing authority for 25 years re-

tired during the year. Manning had been with the authority since the construction of the initial project, the Veterans' Housing complex off Morton Street.

Replacing Mr. Manning was Thomas P. Walsh, appointed by the authority.

Also during the year, application was made to the Department on Housing and Urban Development for 36 units of subsidized housing units and approval was received in November. The program will be initiated in 1976.

Authority members include Thomas P. Eldred, chairman; John B. White, Jr., vice chairman; Winston A. Blake, treasurer; Thomas R. Wallace, assistant treasurer and Atty. Richard A. Savrann, assistant secretary.

Water Plant Met Local Needs, Aided Others

The new water treatment plant, on line for a full year in 1975, has not only provided valuable service for Andover, but assisted neighbors and become a showplace for visitors.

The new plant processed and pumped 1,926,977,000 gallons of water through the end of 1975. In the first six months of operation, the plant pumped and treated 272,724,000 gallons of water into Haggetts pond from Fish Brook and 223,427,000 gallons from the Merrimack River.

Usefulness of the facility was demonstrated by the maintenance of an adequate level at Haggetts, the town's main reservoir, despite

heavy drought periods the past year.

By agreements reached between the selectmen, town manager and public works director, the town was able to assist North Reading and Tewksbury during emergency situations, due to the constant availability of adequate supply.

In Tewksbury, a connection was made whereby the town would supply water in times of emergency to a section of the community bordering Andover.

North Reading, which had been served by Andover in previous years, became a more serviceable area with the new plant and during the

year was provided with 2,518,760 gallons of water, for which the town received \$8,861.34.

Following opening of the plant in late 1974, many civic and school groups have toured the plant and seen the various processes employed in maintaining the town's water supply.

Also, the plant has had visitors from throughout the United States and some from foreign lands.

New lines were installed in the Shawsheen Heights section, Boston, County, Gould Road area, portions of Salem street, and on High street, Ballardvale.

Rebuilding of the Abbot well, on Andover street, was completed under a contract awarded to Maher Pump Co. of North Reading.

During the year an update of the master plan for water system improvements was made with an eye toward implementation in near future.



Library Trustees

Among the members of the Memorial Hall Library Trustees, Mrs. Marta Hornidge, Richard C. MacGowan, Dr. Ernest Costello, Mrs. Cornelia Lemaitre and Library Director Nancy Jacobson.

Property Purchase Assures Physical Future Of Library

Acquisition of the theatre property on Essex Street, and property to the side and rear of the library by the town has provided for some much needed parking for the present and sufficient land for future expansion of the building.

The property became available during 1975 and the Library Trustees strongly advised the town to purchase it, expressing the need for parking as well as providing for any future expansion needs.

The land and building were available to the town a few years ago but rejected at town meeting.

In 1975, the voters approved the purchase by a vote of 525 to 9.

There will be 62 parking spaces made available on the property which extends to Person Street.

The theater building itself will also provide from storage and other facilities for Memorial Hall library, and may also be utilized as an operations area by the regional library system.

Many programs were offered by the library during the year, with a continued increase shown in the utilization of the facilities and services by the townspeople. Circulation of materials increased 12 per cent over the 12 month period.

Among the more popular programs carried out were "Woman Seen" a three-day series of focusing on aspects of womanhood, a day long Arts and Crafts affair with weavers, woodcarvers, silversmiths, speed reading classes, "The Ascent of Man," series, parent's crafts programs co-sponsored with Stevens Memorial Library in North Andover.

Film programs were also well received with the Friday afternoon offerings for children and the Friday night series for adults both being well attended.

At the Ballardvale branch, "Old Ballardvale Days," under the direction of Mrs. Ralph Sharpe, proved to be

most popular, attracting many with particular interests on the history of the 'Vale.'

Great support for the library programs has been forthcoming from the "Friends of Memorial Hall Library," who this past year, among other things, donated an electronically operated screen for movies and slides in the auditorium and a telephone answering service for the reference department.

Three special gifts to the library during the past year are particularly noteworthy.

A three foot by six foot fantasy-like acrylic painting created by Andover Artist Corey Tevan, commissioned by the Library Trustees, hangs in the Children's Room.

A copy of the second verse of "America" the national hymn, written by Andover's Samuel Smith, and in his handwriting, hangs with a photograph of the author, in the Children's room. The gift was given in memory of Jonathan Mark Langdell.

A scale model of the "Big Boy" locomotive, given in memory of John W. Bishop, was placed in the display case at the Children's room.

Federal funds, through the Bureau of Library Extension enabled the library to transcribe old radio show tapes to cassettes and made available to all, but particularly to the senior citizens and those confined to nursing homes. Also provides through federal funding was the preservation of historical materials, particularly the Civil War etchings of which the library has 60.

Administrative changes at the library include the appointment of Mrs. Constance Smyth from head of reference to assistant director and Mrs. Barbara Pettus from the reference staff to head of reference.

New members of the staff, appointed to fill vacancies were Samuel Simons, Linda Corsun, Ruth Hooten, Corey Tevan, Darlene Antonussi, Evelyn Kuo, Sydelle Cohen, and William Flanagan.

Meeting Solid Waste Problems

The solid waste pickup program continues to operate well as the end of the initial three year contract nears.

Curbside collections refuse, packed in plastic bags by the homeowner, began in 1974 after the town's sanitary landfill was shut down by the state, and voters at town meeting refused to purchase and develop a new site.

Contained in the scheduled pickup service is the combined deposits of refuse and garbage. Garbage pickup, a separate service until a year ago, is now accomplished in the single weekly stop, thus resulting in some savings to the town.

In combination with the refuse pickup, is the town's recycling program, which results in the collection of newspapers, glass and mixed metal.

A change in contractors was made last year to provide better and modified service.

Economics of the program depend on the fluctuating price of the materials collected. Newspaper, for instance, has returned a price varying from a high of \$30 per ton, to a low of \$3.

Considerable improvement in the program has been realized this past year with the modifications and the amount of recyclable materials collected has continued to grow.

While the town meets the immediate problem of solid waste, it is also participating in the solution of the problem on a regional level through participation in the Greater Lawrence Solid Waste committee.

The committee is in the process of planning for a solid waste disposal facility to serve many communities in the Merrimack Valley area and Southern New Hampshire.

Site of the plant which will utilize the solid waste for the production of energy for Massachusetts Electric co., as one by product, is tentatively set for Haverhill.

The Mitre Corporation is acting as consulting engineers for the project, which is an effort being assisted by the state.

The regional project is still in the planning and cost figuring stage, with Andover officials meeting with the proposed contractors from time to time to review commitments and costs before final decisions are presented to town meeting for consideration.

Serving on the committee from Andover has been Selectman Edmund J. Sullivan, Jr., Public Works Director Robert E. McQuade and Town Manager J. Maynard Austin.

Roads Treated

The highway department treated 46 miles of streets with asphalt and sand, followed by honing, in 1975. Cost of materials was \$52,000 for asphalt, \$13,473 for sand.

Recycling Totals

During the 18 months from July, 1974 through December, 1975, the recycling program produced the following quantities of materials:

Newspapers	1,119.6850 Tons
Glass	626.8807 Tons
Cans	83.7719 Tons
Mixed Metal	29.5099 Tons

A recycling auction held at Recreation Park in April added an additional \$2,000 to the town treasury.

Expanded Programs Offered

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Leisure Time On Their List

Members of the Recreation/Community schools oversee the program providing leisure time activities for the town's young people as well as adults. Among the members, from left, Atty. Charles Rancourt, James Flynn, chairman; Patricia Saalfank and Director Gary Ralph.

Recreational activities conducted by the Recreation-Community School department were expanded through the assistance of an increased budget in the summer and fall of 1975.

Aim of the department, under the direction of the Recreation-Community schools committee chaired by James Flynn, was to offer expanded programs for the summer session and additional enrichment and instructional programs in the fall.

During the summer season, a larger enrichment, practical arts program was offered at the town's playgrounds, with the addition of a new playground at Shaw-sheen school enhancing the program.

There was an average attendance of 335 youngsters at the playgrounds, on a daily basis. Offered during the season were productions by the Boston Children's Theatre, family concerts, rock concerts, and family movies, all well attended.

There were also field trips to museums and amusement parks, along with inter-playground competition in various events.

Adults were involved in men's and women's league events in such as tennis, and also use of the open gymnasium program.

At Poms pond, an average of 485 residents made use of the swimming facilities, in a combined attempt to find relief from the heat, as well as take advantage of the instructional programs offered.

Swim competitions were held, concerts and activities for the town's senior citizens.

A new bath house will be available in 1976. Construc-

tion was delayed this past year due to the need for additional funds for the facility.

The academics and enrichment programs offered during the fall and winter terms proved very successful, with 2,000 enrolled.

The addition of Mark E. Klempa to the staff during the year, through the assistance of a federal funding, aided in the development of a comprehensive program for young people at the junior-senior high school level.

The first town effort to acquire property for both conservation and active and passive recreational use was accomplished during the year with the acquisition of the Doyle land off High Plain Road.

New special events introduced during the year included the 'Andy 500' Soap Box derby at Poms, a ping pong tournament, many school vacation programs and a comprehensive program of intramurals in cooperation with the public school physical education department.

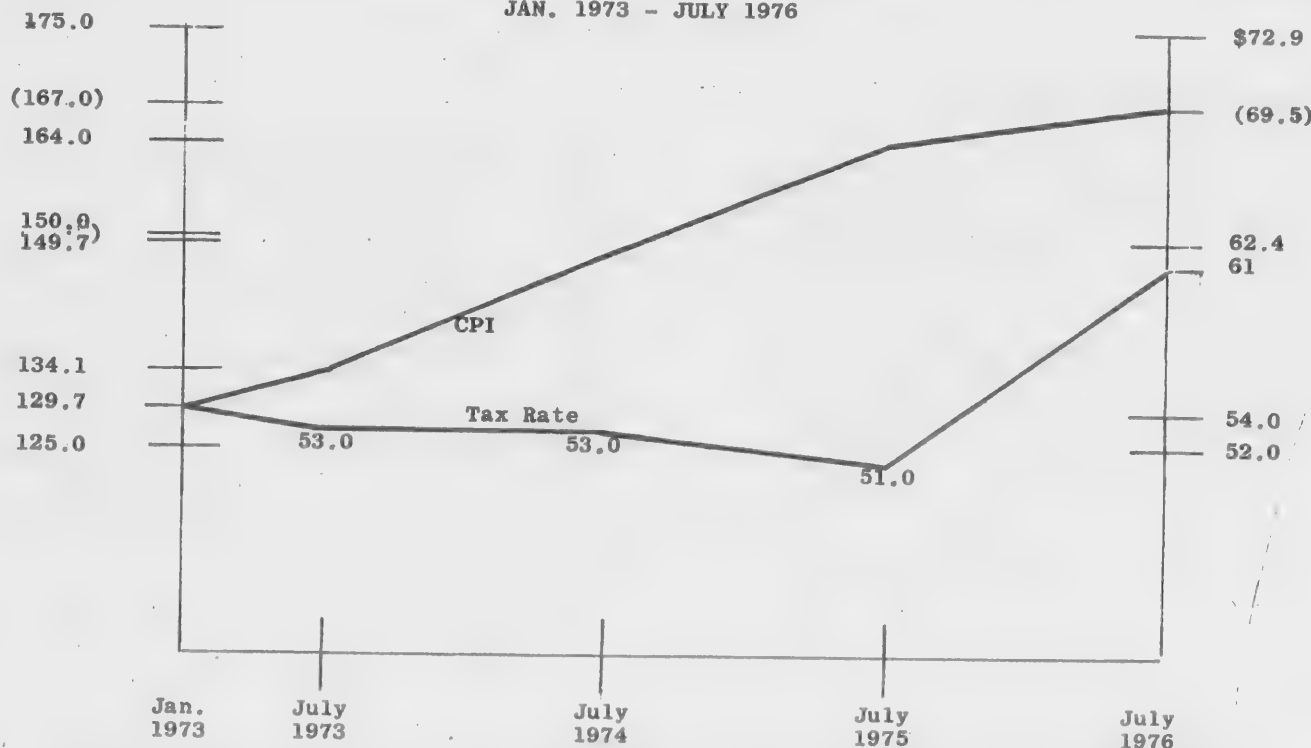
The department was the recipient of more than \$3,000 worth of heavy wood playground equipment for installation at Andover Recreation Park, through the generosity of the Andona Society.

Through the Recreation-Community School committee, the department has attempted to involve the over-all community in its planning efforts to determine need and requirements of the community not only for leisure time recreation, but for the enrichment programs offered. Community support has also been forthcoming from the many volunteers who assist in the programs, particularly in the special education, special scout and Little League programs.

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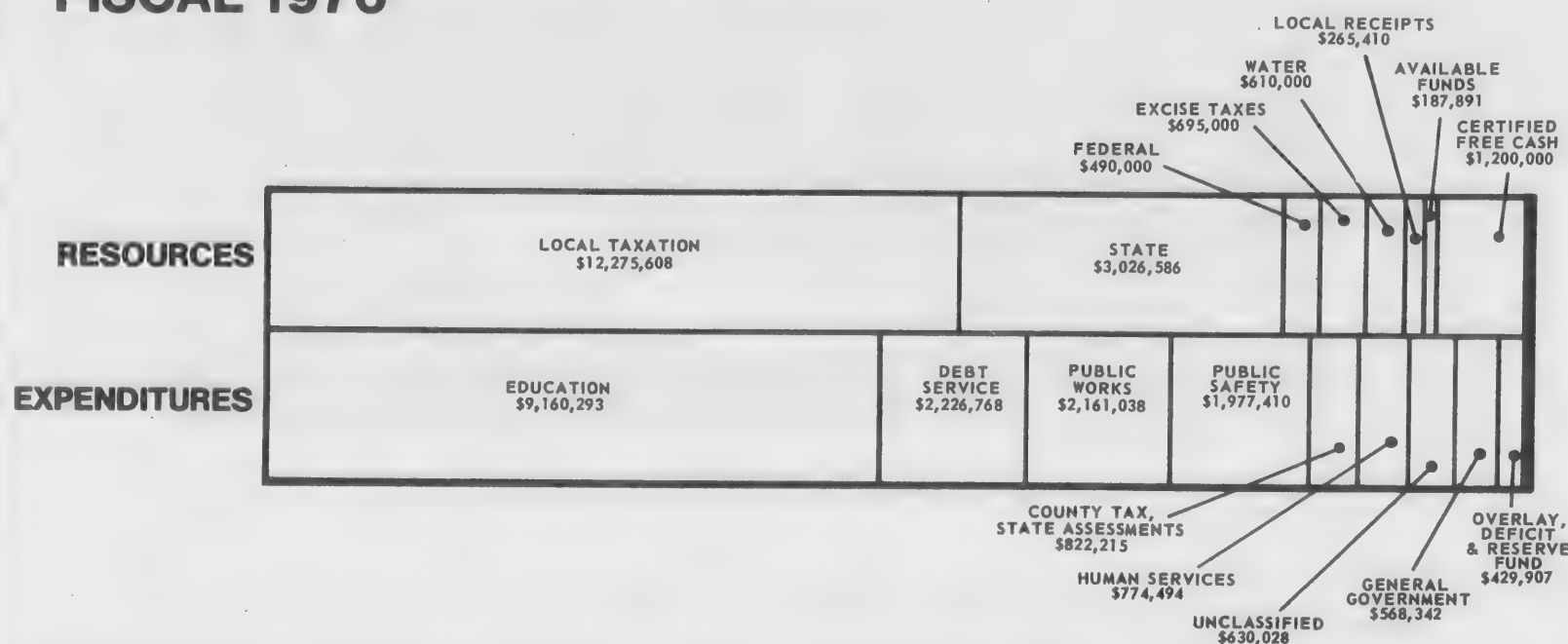
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Financial Picture At A Glance

ANDOVER: A \$19 MILLION BUSINESS FISCAL 1976



The January 1, 1975, real estate assessed value of \$230,553,500 indicates an increase of \$8,532,400 over the previous year, and a total increase of \$41,986,700 since 1970.

The January 1, 1975, assessed value of all taxable personal property was \$10,144,724, an increase of \$452,924 over the previous year and a total increase of \$2,315,624 during the past five years.

COMPARATIVE ASSESSING DATA

	1970	FY-1975	FY-1976
SUMMARY REPORT			
Number of Accounts Assessed	8,067	8,487	8,740
Valuation - Personal Property	\$ 7,829,100	\$ 9,691,800	\$ 10,144,724
Valuation - Real Estate	\$ 188,566,800	\$ 222,021,100	\$ 230,553,500
Total Valuation	\$ 196,395,900	\$ 231,712,900	\$ 240,698,224
Tax Rate Per \$1,000 Valuation	\$ 46.00	\$ 53.00	\$ 51.00
Number of Acres Assessed	18,115.65	13,754.08	13,546.45
Number of Dwellings Assessed	5,809	6,420	6,125
APPROPRIATIONS			
	1973/74(18 Months)	FY-1975	FY-1976
Appropriations approved at Annual Town Meeting	\$ 21,633,849.31	\$ 15,729,882.81	\$ 17,570,482.40
Voted from available funds at Annual Town Meeting	\$ 884,138.91	\$ 895,019.95	\$ 1,350,091.25
Voted from available funds at Special Town Meetings previous year	\$ 66,037.00	\$ 26,000.00	\$ 37,799.60
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	\$ 22,584,025.22	\$ 16,650,902.76	\$ 18,958,373.25

STATE AND COUNTY TAX ASSESSMENTS

County Tax	\$ 409,750.49	\$ 664,636.50	\$ 632,121.30
State Recreation Areas	\$ 86,077.99	\$ 123,577.46	\$ 120,955.78
State Audit of Municipal Accounts	\$ 6,129.90	---	---
State Examination of Retirement System	\$ 192.00	\$ 3,312.59	\$ 251.10
Health Insurance-State Elderly Governmental Retiree Program	\$ 1,857.56	\$ 742.65	\$ 633.27
Motor Vehicle Tax Bills	\$ 2,129.10	\$ 3,049.20	\$ 2,347.80
Ipswich River Watershed District	\$ 1,784.61	\$ 796.46	\$ 3,991.83
Underestimates - County Tax	\$ 13,440.31	---	---
Health Insurance Municipal Teachers	\$ 14,305.51	\$ 15,966.99	\$ 22,508.77
Air Pollution Control District	\$ ---	\$ 1,599.93	\$ 2,445.77
Special Education	\$ ---	\$ 54,000.00	\$ 36,960.00
Underestimates previous year	\$ 13,440.31	\$ 32,554.63	\$ ---
TOTAL	\$ 549,107.78	\$ 900,236.41	\$ 822,215.62
Overestimates previous year	\$ - 11,421.22	\$ - 12,106.85	\$ - 30,156.19
NET TOTAL	\$ 537,686.56	\$ 888,129.56	\$ 792,059.43

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Estimated Receipts
Motor Vehicle and
Licenses
Fines
Special Assessments
General Government
Protection of Public
Health and Sanitation
Highways
School (Local Revenue)
Libraries (Local Revenue)
Recreation
Public Service
Cemeteries (Other)
Interest
Farm Animal, Machine
Andover Housing

TOTAL ESTIMATED

COUNTY TAX

AMOUNTS VOTED TO

Voted Regular Town
Voted Special Town
Voted Regular Town
Revenue Sharing
Revenue Sharing

TOTAL AVAILABLE

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VALUATION

Valuation of Personal
Valuation of Real Estate

TOTAL

TAX RATE

School Rate
General

TOTAL TAX RATE

TOTAL TAXES LEVIED

Personal Property
Real Estate

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VALUATION BREAKDOWN

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Residential

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Picture At A Glance

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1975 ANNUAL REPORT, THE TOWN OF ANDOVER

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS

Estimated Receipts Certified by Commissioner	\$ 2,417,674.63	\$ 2,543,082.12	\$ 2,996,429.48
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	\$ 700,000.00	\$ 675,000.00	\$ 695,000.00
Licenses	\$ 30,000.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00
Fines	\$ 2,250.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 3,000.00
Special Assessments	\$ 18,000.00	\$ 15,000.00	\$ 15,000.00
General Government	\$ 7,500.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00
Protection of Persons and Property	\$ 35,000.00	\$ 30,000.00	\$ 35,000.00
Health and Sanitation	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 3,000.00
Highways	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 1,000.00
School (Local Receipts of School Committee)	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 11,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
Libraries (Local Receipts Other Than State Aid)	\$ 900.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 1,000.00
Recreation	\$ ---	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 7,500.00
Public Service Enterprises (Such as Water Dept.)	\$ 850,000.00	\$ 600,000.00	\$ 610,000.00
Cemeteries (Other Than Trust Funds & Sale of Lots)	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 4,000.00
Interest	\$ 45,000.00	\$ 50,000.00	\$ 125,000.00
Farm Animal, Machinery and Equipment Excise	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00
Andover Housing Authority	\$ 1,500.00	\$ ---	\$ ---
TOTAL ESTIMATED RECEIPTS	\$ 4,142,824.63	\$ 3,970,782.12	\$ 1,570,410.00
COUNTY TAX	\$ 423,190.80	\$ 664,636.50	\$ 632,121.30

AMOUNTS VOTED TO BE TAKEN FROM AVAILABLE FUNDS

	1973/74 18 Months	FY-1975	FY-1976
Voted Regular Town Meeting	\$ 884,138.91	\$ 895,019.95	\$ 150,581.25
Voted Special Town Meeting Previous Year	\$ 66,037.00	\$ 26,000.00	\$ 37,799.60
Voted Regular Town Meeting to Reduce Tax Rate	\$ 500,000.00	\$ 350,000.00	\$ 1,200,000.00
Revenue Sharing to Police Department	\$ 350,000.00	\$ 200,000.00	\$ 245,000.00
Revenue Sharing to Fire Department	\$ 340,000.00	\$ 200,000.00	\$ 245,000.00

TOTAL AVAILABLE FUNDS	\$ 2,140,175.91	\$ 1,671,019.95	\$ 1,878,380.85
NET AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION ON PROPERTY	\$17,945,290.80	\$12,280,783.70	\$12,275,609.42

VALUATION

Valuation of Personal Property		\$ 9,691,800.00	\$ 10,144,724.00
Valuation of Real Estate		\$222,021,100.00	\$230,553,500.00
TOTAL		\$231,712,900.00	\$240,698,224.00

TAX RATE

	1974	FY-1975	FY-1976
School Rate	\$ 34.02	\$ 30.03	\$ 29.50
General	\$ 19.98	\$ 22.97	\$ 21.50
TOTAL TAX RATE	\$ 54.00	\$ 53.00	\$ 51.00

TOTAL TAXES LEVIED

Personal Property	\$ 492,750.00	\$ 513,665.40	\$ 517,310.97
Real Estate	\$11,470,777.20	\$11,767,118.30	\$11,758,228.50
TOTAL	\$11,963,527.20	\$12,280,783.70	\$12,275,609.47

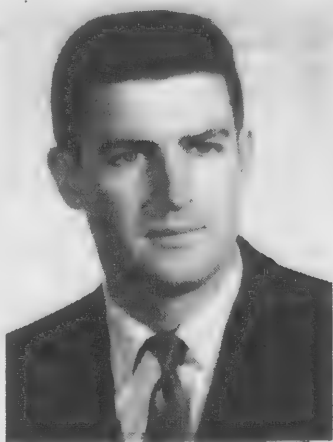
VALUATION BREAKDOWN BY CLASS

	1975			1976		
	Number	Total Valuation	Percent of Total	Number	Total Valuation	Percent of Total
Commercial	183	\$ 24,145,100	11%	176	\$ 25,223,700	11%
Industrial	71	\$ 31,724,500	14%	71	\$ 32,961,500	14%
Residential	8,233	\$ 166,151,500	75%	8,493	\$ 172,368,300	75%
TOTAL	8,487	\$ 222,021,100	100%	8,740	\$ 230,553,500	100%

	1975	1976
Gross Amount to Be Raised	\$ 17,758,408.65	\$ 18,750,495.94
Est. Receipts & Available Funds	\$ 4,194,498.15	\$ 6,474,886.52
Net Amount to Be Raised	\$ 12,280,783.70	\$ 12,275,609.42
OVERLAY	\$ 192,093.90	\$ 257,785.44

The School Department

School Board Chairman's Report



Francis E. Griggs
Chairman

To: The Citizens of Andover

The past year has been another year of program evaluation and modification. The programs at all levels now emphasize to a greater degree the basic skill areas of writing (including grammar and spelling), math computation and reading comprehension. The results of the national standardized tests continue to improve, reflecting this change in emphasis. The committee is currently reviewing the math and English programs at the secondary level to determine if they meet the needs of our children. This study was prompted in part by the continuing slide of Andover students on the College Board Achievement Tests. As a result of this study we hope to be in a position to determine if the curriculum changes made in the late 60's and early 70's resulted in improved student learning.

The School Committee continued to be fiscally prudent in its handling of the taxpayers' money. For the second year in a row the tax rate decreased. I would be less than honest if I could promise you a continuation of this performance. It appears that in the next fiscal year the school portion of the tax rate will take a sudden jump. This is partially due to decreased state aid but more significantly to the demands made by the Teachers' Union in the most recent round of negotiations. As a result of the settlement, even with minimal increases in all other accounts over which we have any real control, I would estimate a tax increase of \$4-\$5 in the school portion of the tax rate. Even more distressing is the fact that things don't look much brighter in the future unless some very serious consideration is given to staff reductions. The secondary school population bulge continued to occupy a significant portion of the committee's time. At the present time it appears that a solution within the physical structure of the high school will yield the necessary space.

This year we also saw a new militancy within our Teachers' Union. This militancy resulted in so-called "work actions," which showed a disregard for the objects of their profession, our children. This type of work action was not unique to Andover as the MTA utilized, and is utilizing, similar labor-union techniques throughout the state. The only difference of course is that for municipal employees these actions are illegal. It would appear that we will have more of these tactics to look forward to in the future. In short, the Teachers' Unions are fast de-professionalizing the profession of teaching.

In closing I would like to express appreciation for the opportunity to present this brief review of the past year.

Reading Program Was Accorded National Acclaim



Mrs. Theresa Murphy

Andover may not yet be a household word in the rest of the country — but it's down in black and white for many young readers coast to coast.

The Andover Reading Program was chosen in 1975 to be packaged and offered throughout the country as part of the federal government's "Right to Read" program.

It is now part of Uncle Sam's campaign to end illiteracy in the 1970's.

Andover's program was one of 244 considered nationally, after being recommended by the Massachusetts Commissioner of Education and a state supervisor.

Authored by Reading Supervisor Theresa Murphy, it includes AIRS (the Andover Individualized Reading System) for skills, an individual reading program with one-to-one guidance, and a reading-for-pleasure portion, in which youngsters can apply their skills to reading books of their choice.

The program begins with a reading assessment of each child as early as kindergarten, or whenever the teachers feel he's ready.

The child then receives a program that zeroes in on his particular skill needs. When he masters a skill on a given level, he can spend the rest of the allotted time reading.

Advanced children, Mrs. Murphy says, spend minimal time in skills in the Andover Reading Program. In most systems,

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School Committee



David R. Ahouse



Robert B. McIntyre
Appointed



George F. Olesen



John F. Lyons
Resigned



Elaine Viehmann

Superintendent's View Of



Dr. Harry E. W.
Associate Superintendent



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Superintendent Views Meeting Of Objectives



Dr. Kenneth R. Seifert
Superintendent



Dr. Harry E. Westcott
Associate Superintendent

Controversial Test Scores Have Brighter Signs

This year, as in the past two year, the School Committee continued its pursuit of two major objectives — greater emphasis on basic skills and greater fiscal austerity.

In the area of basic skills, our test results were most positive. I believe the emphasis the community desires in the area of basic skills is being achieved. In the year ahead we will strive to maintain our effort to date and improve those few areas that we feel are not satisfactory.

In the area of fiscal austerity, we continue to hold the line and move towards the center in per pupil expenditure in the state. In 1970-71 Andover ranked 34 out of 351 school systems in our per pupil effort. In 1973-74 Andover ranked 108 out of 351. In 1973-74 the state average expenditure per pupil was \$1129; Andover's effort was \$1153. Up-to-date figures are not available. I do believe the amount of services we give per pupil is far in excess of the state average.

Negotiations consumed a great deal of time and occupied much space in the local newspapers. A negotiations process is a very complex one, and to say that there are good guys and bad guys is an over simplification. In the

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The controversy over College Board scores and their significance continued in 1975, but the gloom over achievement test scores in the lower grades brightened considerably.

Andover youngsters in Grades 1 through 9 took the Educational Testing Service Test (ETS) in May, and scored above the national average — the 50th percentile — in all areas.

Based on those standardized scores, Associate Superintendent Harry S. Westcott said that instructional programs in Andover appear to be "compatible" with national yardsticks, with Andover pupils achieving at a very "satisfactory" level.

The pupils also scored above the 60th percentile — the School Committee's three-year goal — in 92 percent of the areas tested. In 1974, the second "goal" year, they tested above 60 in only 77 percent of the areas.

According to Westcott, the administration was particularly heartened by the fact that the "target" areas of reading, spelling and word comprehension had shown "considerable" signs of improvement.

Reading was at the top of the areas tested, with the lowest score at the 64th percentile, and six of the nine grades exceeded the 80th percentile.

Further emphasis, Westcott said, was particularly needed at the third and seventh grades.

In spelling, the three-year goal of 60th percentile was yet to be achieved, and spelling was tagged as the basic skill area

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A Title In A Minute And A Half



Members of Golden Warrior State Championship Football Team

With less than a minute and a half left in the season, Glenn Verrette leaped into the air over the end zone that crisp December day, and caught a 14-yard touchdown bomb from Quarterback Bill Alexander.

The play put Andover's Golden Warriors ahead of Plymouth-Carver 7-3, and

gave the local team their second straight Super Bowl Championship.

It was the third appearance in a row for the Warriors in the post-season title bout, and it proved an appropriate finale to the high school football careers of some 22 Warrior seniors.

Head Coach Dick Collins'

team had breezed through the season with a 9-0-0 record, earning their ticket to Super Bowl V by sloshing to a 6-6 tie with tough Lawrence Central Catholic on Thanksgiving Day.

While the tie changed the team's 36-game winning streak to 37 games undefeated, it also gave them

their third successive Merimack Valley Conference crown. Lawrence had already lost one.

Then on December 6, the Warriors became State Division II champs once more.

Verrette, an All-Scholastic end, subsequently received the Eugene V.

Lovely Award as Most Valuable Player on the 1975 team. Fellow tri-captains Bill Alexander and John Drivas received the Gus Connolly award and the Super Bowl game ball respectively, while Tom Henderson received the Charles Mourikas award as outstanding lineman.

Selectmen's Decisions

The Board of Selectmen held 33 regular meetings and 6 special meetings during the 18-month period covered by this report.

At the organizational meeting of March 10, 1975, following the re-election of Alan French to the Board, the following officers were elected by the Board:

Chairman Milton Greenberg; Vice-Chairman George E. Heseltine; and Secretary Edmund J. Sullivan, Jr.

The following is a list of some of the major decisions and actions taken by the Board of Selectmen from July, 1974 through December, 1975:

MERRIMACK WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT STUDY

Criticized the absence of a benefit-cost analysis in the Merrimack Wastewater Management Study report prepared by the U. S. Army Engineers and assisted by the Merrimack Valley Planning Commission. Expressed general dissatisfaction with the study and the report.

REGIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY

Members of the Board and staff attended several study and organizational meetings prior to the establishment of a Regional Transit Authority, which now includes the Cities of Lawrence and Haverhill and the Towns of Methuen, Merrimack and No. Andover. Concluded that it would not be in the best interest for Andover to join for the time being.

SECTION 208 PLANNING

Approached Andover's involvement via the Merrimack Valley Planning Commission in areawide waste treatment management planning under Section 208 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act with considerable caution. Initially recommended that such study be conducted by the Massachusetts Division of Water Pollution Control. When no other alternative appeared possible, reluctantly in May, 1975 gave approval to a resolution requesting the Governor to designate the Merrimack Valley Planning Commission as the agency to conduct the study.

INSURANCE

Accepted the Betterley Associates Insurance Consultant's report relative to insuring certain buildings at replacement cost with a \$25,000 deductible and others at actual cash value.

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT

In recognition of the substantial demand for water by a plating plant, discouraged the Carr Company from constructing a plant in the Lowell Junction Area.

Did not choose to establish an Industrial Development Financing Authority.

TRAFFIC

Established a Traffic Committee composed of the Police Chief, Town Engineer, a member of the Planning Board, a representative from the Chamber of Commerce, a citizen and the Town Manager as Chairman.

Upon recommendation of the Traffic Committee, removed all turning restrictions on traffic entering and leaving the Raytheon plant via Lowell Street.

SEWER SERVICE CHARGE

Following a public hearing, established a sewer service charge of 30¢ per 100 cu. feet on water purchased from the Town for financing the construction, maintenance and operation of the Town's sewerage system and payment of the annual assessment of the Greater Lawrence Sanitary District. The charge became effective with water bills prepared after July 1, 1975.

WATER RATES

Increased the water rates from 40¢ to 52¢ per 100 cu. ft. for all consumption in excess of 30,000 cu. ft., effective with billings on or after April 1, 1975.

WATER

Approved the sale of water to the Towns of Tewksbury and North Reading on an emergency basis at a rate based upon the rates paid by Andover residents plus 30% and with a six per cent premium, that is 87.5¢ per 100 cu. ft.

Adopted a policy opposing a long-term sale of water to neighboring communities.

REDISTRICTING

Approved a plan prepared by Town Clerk Elden R. Salter increasing the number of voting precincts from six to eight. New voting precincts to be effective in 1977 for use in the 1978 elections.

LEGAL COUNSEL

Approved the appointment of Attorney John C. Serino as counsel for School Committeemen George Olesen in the case of Regan vs. three present and past School Committee members.

Athletics Rely On Park Dept.

Outdoor athletics in Andover are dependent, to a great extent, on the Town's Park Division.

In the early spring, the division repaired and painted the benches, portable bleachers and backstops for these baseball diamonds at the High School, and 10 Little League Fields.

Those fields also raked, rolled and marked for each game, and the running tracks and soccer fields are prepared for all school meets. (The varsity soccer fields were taken out of service for a year, to allow adequate time to rebuild the field and establish a new growth.)

The Parks Division also applied fertilizer and seed to grassed areas belonging to the town, and cut more than 65 acres of grass each week during the growing season. (In addition, 26 town grass plots were mowed by private contractors during the growing season.)

Spraying was done, where required, to control Japanese beetles.

In the fall, Park personnel erected necessary equipment at the four school football fields, and cleaned and marked the fields for each game.

In the winter, Park personnel returned to the Highway Division to help maintain highways and sidewalks, and control snow and ice.

Engineering Dept. Aids Projects

Nearly a mile of High Plain Road and Cross Street were reconstructed in 1975, with the help of the Andover Engineering Division. That office provides field surveys, construction plans and specifications, bids, field layout and site inspections, for a host of other projects as well.

Among them were nearly a mile of surface water drainage lines in the Williams Street and Stratford Road areas, bridge repairs on the parapet walls of the Stevens and Central Street bridges over the Shawsheen, concrete sidewalk on Haverhill Street, four sets of School Zone lights, and a water main on High Street, Ballardvale.

Bids also went out for fence work at Shawsheen School, on Stevens Street, and at the High School.

The Planning Board in 1975 received plans for six subdivision of land, with a total of 102 lots.

The Engineering Division consists of two full-time employees, with three students employed part-time during the summer months. Three CETA employees were added to form a survey party in February, 1975, and one draftsman was added in April.

Survey Of Elms Taken

In the spirit of the Bicentennial, the Division cooperated with the Andover Garden Survey of America and were designated "Bicentennial Elm" indicating they are a years old.

One side benefit is that the Division now knows how many elms and where they are.

Continuing its plant replacement where space allowed, the Forestry Division planted 67 shade namental trees seedlings. While many seedlings were planted, the division's small 50 white flowering were planted on property, well set back from the roadway.

Among the other planted were sugar Norway maple, chaintree, flowering ple, white pine, ginkgo, American walnut, Scotch pine, pear and honey locust.

The Spade and Garden Club donated flowering crabapple, one Callery pear, walter filtration p the Andover Garden donated three ginkgo the municipal park.

A sizeable Norway from its own nursery the division's 1975 Day planting in the grass plot behind Town. It replaced an old maple which had been back over the past years.

A large American field was donated town, and planted Forestry on Main Street front of the Andover Historical Society.

During the 18 period ending in December 1975, the Division removed 312 dead, dangerous trees, ranging in size from 10 inches to more than 30 inches in diameter.

During the same the division spent percent of its time and due to the nature of the equipment, the Division frequently called for restraining flagpoles, replace outside bulbs over graffiti, and trees.

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Sidewalks

Sidewalks were repaved with bituminous concrete on Main Street, North Street, Brechin Street, Park Street, Canal Street, and Central Street during 1975.

Survey Of Elms Taken

In the spirit of the Bicentennial, the Forestry Division cooperated with the Andover Garden Club in its survey of American Elms -- and were designated as "Bicentennial Elms," indicating they are at least 200 years old.

One side benefit of the survey is that the Forestry Division now knows precisely how many elms there are and where they are located.

Continuing its efforts to plant replacement trees where space allows, the Forestry Division in 1975 planted 67 shade and ornamental trees and 860 seedlings. While most of the seedlings were planted in the division's small nursery, 50 white flowering dogwoods were planted on town property, well set back from the roadway.

Among the other varieties planted were sugar maple, Norway maple, golden chaintree, flowering crabapple, white pine, red pine, ginko, American elm, black walnut, Scotch pine, Callery pear and honey locust.

The Spade and Trowel Garden Club donated two flowering crabapples and one Callery pear at the walter filtration plant, and the Andover Garden club donated three ginko trees in the municipal parking lot.

A sizeable Norway maple from its own nursery was the division's 1975 Arbor Day planting in the small grass plot behind Town Hall. It replaced an old sugar maple which had been dying back over the past several years.

A large American elm from a Phillips Academy field was donated to the town, and planted by Forestry on Main Street in front of the Andover Historical Society.

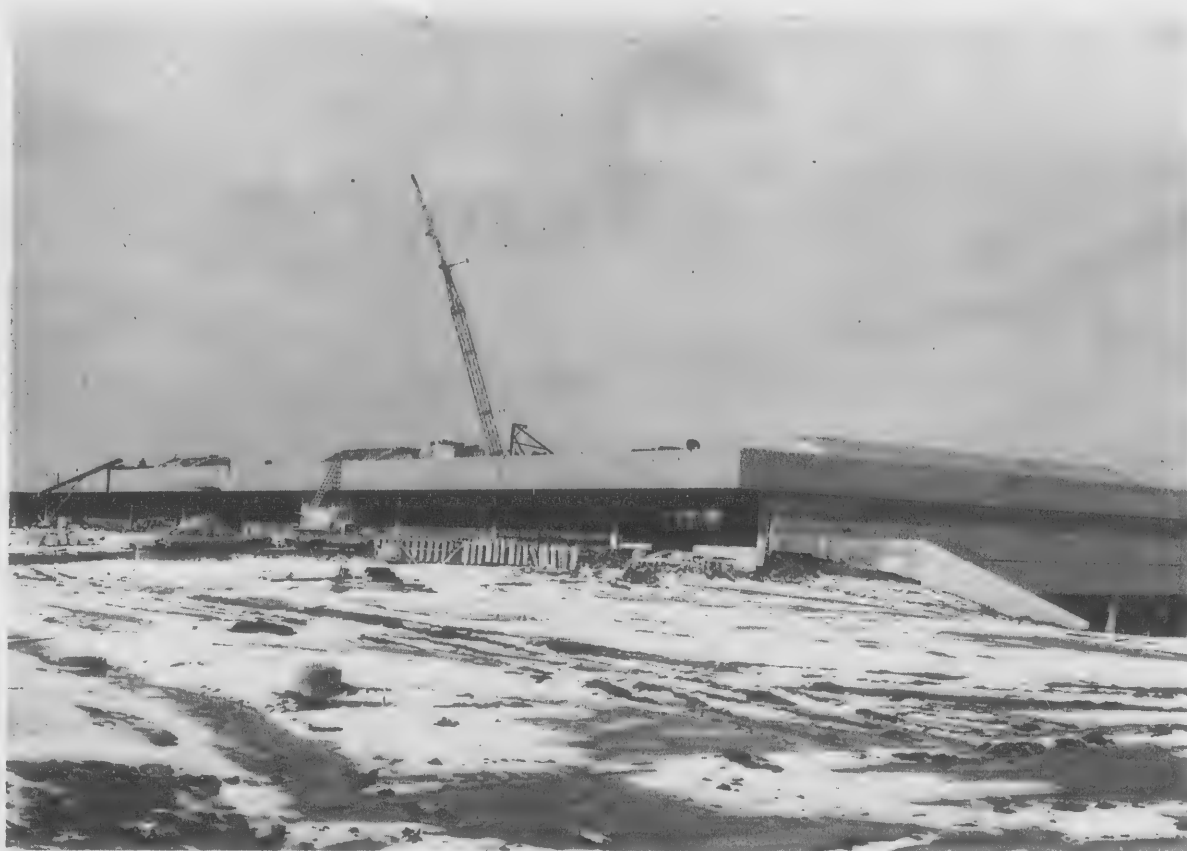
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Sidewalks

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**Ready In
Fall, '76**

Construction of the new Hewlett-Packard building in West Andover began in the summer of 1975 and is expected to be ready for occupancy in the fall of 1976. The medical electronics plant is the first industrial tenant in the West Andover area owned by Arkwright/Boston Insurance Co.

Survey Provided Direction For Downtown Planning

Determining the town's desires as to the future direction of the community's business area was accomplished during 1975, through a survey undertaken by the planning board.

The survey showed the planners that overwhelmingly, Andover residents want the Central Business District to remain as it is, with no realty outlets in other areas of town.

Aim of the survey was to get a broad spectrum of opinion from the town's Associates, consultants to the planning board, are continuing to evaluate the results, obtained through questionnaires given to residents during the census taking.

The planners were supplied with such opinions as the Central Business District should remain as is, additional parking is desirable.

What the consultants are now doing with the results of the survey is evaluating the response and conducting meetings with various civic groups and private citizens, to adequately provide the planners with a direction in which the town should move in the future with its downtown area.

Planning board members also assisted the Sacred Heart Study committee in its work in determining the feasibility of obtaining the Shawsheen property for town purposes.

In addition to working with all town boards and groups, when requested, the planning board also had active input to

the Historical District Study committee and the Open Space Recreation subcommittee, which will be among recommendations for land acquisition to the 1976 town meeting.

A principal function of the planning board is the overseeing of subdivisions and developments.

During 1975 the planning board, under the chairmanship of David Erickson, reviewed 12 plans for housing developments or subdivisions. Of the 12 plans presented for consideration, containing 113 lots, the board approved 48 lots, disapproved 26; one plan with 39 lots is still pending.

There were also 61 lots having frontage on existing streets and of proper size which were certified as not needing planning board approval for development.

The board has worked closely with representatives of Arkwright-Boston Insurance Co., and Hewlett-Packard in the development of the West Andover Industrial area. During the process, a right of way access from River Road was obtained for town-owned recreation land along the Merrimack River.

Due to new regulations which took effect in December, 1974, the planning board has been able this past year to gain completion of subdivisions in a proper manner and on time by developers.

Upgrading of bonding requirements has also insured proper completion by developers of new areas in town.

Doyle Land Now Under Conservation Commission

The Doyle property off High Plain Road, consisting of 75 acres, came under the control of the Conservation Commission this past year.

Acquisition of the parcel, the most important open space activity of the year, was accomplished through town meeting approval of \$300,000.

Development of the area will be done by both the conservation commission and the recreation committee.

Most passive recreation will be allowed in the acreage, such as hiking, nature trails, skating ponds and small parking areas.

The conservation commission has applied to the state for self-help funds to permit some reimbursement to the town for the purchase. Funds in the Executive Office of Environmental affairs, are, however, scarce, and are being delegated toward urban centers. The commission is still hopeful, however, of obtaining some state funding for the acquisition.

During the year, the town received \$2,450, or half the purchase price, in self-help funds, for obtaining the five

and one-half acre tract of land in Harold Parker Forest off Jenkins Road.

Conservation commission funds for land acquisition are now at a low point, with the 1970 bond issue for obtaining property along the Merrimack River, still being used for negotiation of remaining parcels.

The commission will present a plan to the 1976 town meeting to obtain funds for the town's open space, conservation and recreation programs, with priority areas to include the remaining Fish Brook wetlands, Sacred Heart land in Shawsheen, Wood Hill, Skug River and a study of the Andover Country club land.

Voters at the 1975 annual town meeting approved the commission's purchase of the following parcels: 53 acres off the Forest Hills subdivision bordering the town's water supply; 14 acres off Salem Street; two acres off Bellevue Road; 17 acres off High Plain Road, owned by Curtis Corp. and 13 acres owned by Muller to add and connect to the Doyle land, five and one-half acres off Boston Road.



Treatment Plant Moves To Completion

The Greater Lawrence Sanitary District plant, under construction in North Andover, is moving along on schedule and may be in operation before the end of 1976. The plant will treat raw sewage from the four G.L. communities before it enters the Merrimack river. Total project cost is estimated at \$53,650,000, of which Andover's share is \$6,050,000. First year operating and maintenance costs are projected to be \$1,500,000, with Andover contributing 12.5 per cent of the total, or \$187,500. As part of the federal funds agreement for the project, sewer use charges were instituted for those on sewer service this past year.

Trunk Sewer Line Moves Toward Industrial Area

Major construction and improvements in the over 61 miles of Andover's sanitary sewer system was underway during 1975.

The most significant project was the initiation of installation of the truck sewer line from the West Andover industrial area to the Lawrence trunk line, following a path along the Merrimack River.

The new trunk will accommodate the new Hewlett-Packard plant under construction on the former Shattuck Farm property off River road. It is designed to serve the entire industrial park owned by Arkwright/Boston Insurance Co.

Contract for the work was awarded to the J. F. White Construction Co. of Newton, the firm also working on the installation of lines to the Greater Lawrence Sanitary District plant.

Construction began in August and by the end of 1975 was over 41 per cent complete, with completion anticipated in mid-1976.

The over \$2 million dollar project was approved by town meeting in 1974, with the provision that no work could begin until the new medical electronics plant initiated construction.

This was accomplished in the early summer with the obtaining of a building permit by Davis Construction of Manchester, N. H. for the new building.

Hewlett-Packard and Arkwright/Boston, are assisting in the financing of the trunk line installation by paying some of the interest costs borne by the town on

the bonds issued for the work.

Another major project, approved in 1975, with construction beginning in 1976, was the abandonment of the Ballardvale Treatment plant.

T. J. Kiley of Lynn is the general contractor for this project, necessary to remove pollution from the plant to the Shawsheen River.

The Vale area will now be tied into the town's sewer system, and there will be no further discharge of wastewater into the Shawsheen.

As of this past year, the town had 61 miles of sanitary sewers and 3,550 connections. The entire system will be tied into the Greater Lawrence treatment plant when it is com-

pleted sometime in 1977.

A program instituted by the department in recent years is showing increasingly good results. A sewer maintenance program calls for inspections, weekly and monthly of certain sections of sewers that are subject to stoppages due to relatively low slopes or velocity. The program has reduced clogging problems.



Robert E. McQuade
DPW Director

Snowfall

The Andover Highway department handled 64.5 inches of snow during 1975, the heaviest coming in December with 32 inches total for the month.



New Trunk Sewer Line Underway

Construction of the trunk line sewer to connect the West Andover industrial area to the Lawrence trunk line has been underway since the summer of 1975, with completion expected this year. J. F. White Construction Co., low bidder at \$1,984,000, is on schedule with the project which will provide the tie-in for the new Hewlett-Packard plant in West Andover.

Utilities, Roads Get Inspection

General Construction
Inspector James Rand who was appointed in September 1974, has been involved in the constant inspections of subdivisions at various stages of construction during the past year.

The new position was created by the 1974 town meeting, to more adequately inspect new developments in the community and save the town from costs resulting from improper work or installations.

Under the direction of the town manager, the inspector daily inspects all subdivisions in the town, including checking on road construction work, as well as installation of utilities.

He also periodically inspects street openings by contractors and keeps a file on insurance coverage of all construction companies working in the town.

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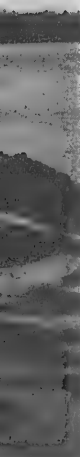
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Auxiliary Officers

Members of Andover's Auxiliary Police, working under the police chief and the civil defense director Sgt. James Johnson, attend regular training sessions and assist the regular police at public events during the year. Front row, from left, Alex Stewart, Wanda Batchelder, Mark Manley, Ernest Gaudet. Second row, Maynard Flynn, Adolph Antonucci, James Ward, Robert Merrill, James Barenboim. Third row, Kenneth Newcomb, Henry Holt, James Fox, Robert Hughes, Eugene Zalla, Thomas Eldred and Les Hannan.

The Civil Defense Department in a community is maintained to plan and prepare for any man-made or natural disaster.

Under the direction of Sgt. James Johnson of the police department the local civil defense department had two active agencies,

made up of volunteers, in operation.

The first unit consists of 13 members of a radio communication group and the other, a 20 member auxiliary police force.

The radio group meets weekly to test equipment to be ready in an emergency to

maintain communications in the community and to outside areas.

The auxiliary police meet once a month for training. In the past year, the auxiliaries have assisted, unpaid, on Memorial Day, July 4, Halloween night and at the Santa Claus parade.

More Services Provided By Health Department

There was a significant increase in the services provided by the Board of Health during the last 18-month period, particularly in the area of enforcement of subsurface sanitary systems and the conduct of clinics for residents.

In the area of septic tank, or subsurface sanitary systems, new bylaws, advertised and put into effect during the past year, enabled the health department to insure proper installations.

The new bylaws were designed to protect the town from having to make corrections after residents had moved in, as well as protect the homeowner against improperly installed systems.

In the year previous, some contractors were taken to court to make remedies to systems already installed, and some contractors had their licenses to install systems in Andover revoked.

The new bylaws now make it possible for the inspections department of the board of health, to follow the installation from start to finish and make sure all

connections and overall construction meets requirements considered to be more stringent than the state health codes.

Other areas which require followup inspection by the health authorities included promiscuous dumping, air pollution, noise pollution, water pollution, inadequate housing facilities, dilapidated structures, vermin infestation and fires in homes and public establishments.

Of all the complaints investigated, common was that of the promiscuous dumping. The complaints stemmed from residents noting vacant area of town being used for the dumping of refuse.

Complaints also involve the leaving of construction materials around new housing sites. Contractors are notified of the problem and ordered to adequately clean up the area.

Developments during the past year included the board of health developing a three-year program delineating objectives, priorities and costs of existing as well as

proposed new programs, and the conducting of a number of food training programs for management and personnel of food establishments.

Lead poisoning clinics and blood pressure clinics were conducted during the year.

In the case of the lead poisoning clinics, some youngsters were found to have levels requiring reference to medical authorities. Those found to have blood pressure problems were also advised to see their personal physicians.

Flu clinics were conducted for the town's senior citizens.

Carrying out the work of the department under the direction of Health Board Chairman Dr. Robert A. Walsh, chairman; Dr. Douglas Dunbar, and Dr. William O'Reilly, are Neal D. McDowell, director; Mary Corey, secretary; Mary Hamilton, public health nurse; Walter Vogt, gas, plumbing and sewer inspector; Daniel Tremblay, Steven D'Urso, sanitarians; and Harold Rutter, assistant plumbing inspector.

H-P Top Building Permit

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Indications of the town's continued growth, are contained in the records of the building inspector.

For the 18 month period, July, 1974 through December, 1975, 937 permits were issued by Building Inspector Arthur Peatman, for varied types of construction totaling \$18,340,703.

Issuance of the building permit for the new Hewlett-Packard plant in West Andover, was the largest single permit during the year. Other industrial construction included an office building and some renovations at Reichold Chemical Co., in Lowell Junction.

During the 18-month period, there were 168 permits issued for new homes for a total of \$6,041,500. There were 97 other type buildings for \$9,282,296 and 478 permits for additions and alterations, \$2,707,277. Other permits, such as signs, swimming pools, etc., numbered 194 and totaled \$309,630.

Fees collected during the period were \$55,571, making the particular department a self-sustaining unit.

The building inspector and his assistant have had added responsibilities during this period, with local building offices being responsible for enforcement of the state building code, a task formerly performed by state offices.

As such the local inspectors must now conduct periodic checks of such places as public buildings, nursing homes, schools, etc., and also make inspections of such retail establishments as liquor stores and restaurants.

Both the inspector and his assistant must attend periodic courses in order to maintain certification for enforcement of the state building code.

Animal Inspection

Andover may be a primarily residential community, but there are still a number of such animals as cows and horses which require annual inspection.

While not like days gone by when farms dotted Andover's landscape, Animal Inspector Dr. Richard D. Lindsay, still has five dairy herds to examine, 24 dairy cows, and 11 dairy heifers to examine this past year.

There were also 99 horses and 43 ponies requiring annual inspection.



Finance Committee

Reviewing the town's financial picture are members of the Finance Committee, from left, Atty. Robert S. Zollner, Leo Griffin, James Watt, Mrs. R. Milton Cole, Charles Wesson, chairman; Donald Byrne, Melvyn Miller, and Mrs. Dana Duxbury.

Services Provided Elderly

The Council on Aging, who assists in the programs for the town's senior citizens, had an active year in 1975, obtaining two senior aides to provide assistance.

Mrs. Jennie Faraci was employed beginning in February and Miss Amy Coleno in April to assist the town's elderly who may be in need of home care, home chore services, or problems relating to health, nutrition, housing, etc.

The two aides work in cooperation with the Merrimack Valley Home Care Center.

Daily hot lunches are provided at the East Junior High School, and various programs have been conducted both at the school and at the Haven for the senior citizens, by school pupils and the Andover Male Choir.

The Recreation-Community Schools department has conducted classes for the elderly at the Haven, such as bridge, house plant care, music, knitting crocheting, macrame, painting and others.

Mini-clinics have been conducted under the direction of the board of health.

Many trips to plays, musicals, resort areas, have been conducted during the year and well attended.

The Andover Haven Associates meet monthly for a movie provided by Memorial Hall Library and to review activities of the group. Fred Yancy serves as president of the associates, with George Reynolds, vice president; Mrs. Ina Jewett, secretary and Lester Thompson, treasurer.

Dog Complaints

The Animal Control Officer responded to 708 dog complaints during the past year and half.

Also, during the period, there were 123 dogs reported lost, and 73 canines found.

Bicentennial

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the work of the Historical District Study Committee. That group began looking into the Central Street area in hopes of getting "Historic District" status to preserve the houses which span three centuries.

Historic District status generally prevents any exterior alterations that change architectural features.

In addition, the Bicentennial Committee and the Historical Commission jointly sponsored an architectural survey of Andover homes by a Harvard graduate student. While looking at the federal mansions of Central Street and early colonial farmhouses, Ms. Nancy Stack also studied the "vernacular" housing, the mill homes that sprung up near the textile mills of the 19th century.

Still another permanent contribution may well be the book about Andover and the Revolution by Col. Edward Harris. To be published in paperback and hardback, the volume will concentrate on participation of residents in the events leading up to and during the war of 1775-1783, and on through the adoption of the Federal Constitution and the election of General George Washington as President.

The Bicentennial Committee ended the first of its two years with more grandiose plans for 1976. Among them was co-sponsorship of a special Boston 200 exhibit on Women in History, held at Memorial Hall Library in February.

A Charter Day celebration by candlelight on May 6 will include a reenactment of the sale of the Town, and on May 7 and 8, the Andover Community Theatre will dramatize the events of 1775-76 in Andover. A two-hour Bicentennial Parade will march off on May 9, followed by a picnic in the Playstead.

The last official celebration will be the July 4 observance parade, 200 years to the day after America declared its independence. An ecumenical service will be held at Cochran Chapel, followed by a breakfast and afternoon of games, and topped off by a bangup fireworks display.

Members of the Andover Bicentennial Committee and their special responsibilities include: Mrs. Virginia Cole, public relations; William Dalton, legal; Frank Demers, Historical District; Edward Harris, historical book; William Hart, schools; Donald Hayes, Historical Commission; Dorothy Hill, Historical Society; George Glennie, Powder Mill project and photographic exhibit; John Lewis, July 4, 1976 celebration; James McLeod, ecumenical service; Gary Ralph, recreation and July 4, 1975, Dorothy Sherrerd, house tours; Ronald Tetreault, picnic; Helen Watkinson, secretary; Sidney White, Bicentennial parade; and Mrs. Barbara Lampe, Mrs. Barbara Saulnier and Mrs. Joan Dill, Bicentennial ball.

Test Scores

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which would require the greatest emphasis in 1976.

Capitalization and punctuation, math concepts and math computation showed considerable overall improvement. Other areas tested included total mechanics of writing, social studies (Grades 4 through 9), word analysis (grades 1-3), listening (Grades 1-3), and math (Grades 1-3).

While Grade 7 generally showed the most need for improvement, with lower scores in five of the nine areas than in 1974, the two upper junior high school grades showed improvement in all areas.

The fourth grades across town were also up in all areas - four of them dramatically. Their scores increased by 13 to 24 percentile points in capitalization and punctuation, total mechanics of writing, math concepts and math computation.

Grade 6 scores were higher by at least 11 percentile points in every area but spelling, where they were still below the 60th percentile.

The ETS tests were also scheduled to be given in the May of 1976, to allow further, more accurate achievement comparisons.

Superintendent

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years ahead we must all strive to reduce the differences of opinion as rapidly as possible and to highlight those honest differences of opinion as rapidly as possible and to highlight those honest differences and settle them.

This past year we witnessed an increase in the destruction of school property. Last year the amount paid for broken glass was \$12,000. This year we are already ahead of last year's pace. I believe the lack of respect for school property is symptomatic of a societal problem. This major problem is that things are intended to be temporary and don't last. This attitude is being conveyed to our youth.

As we approach the upcoming year. I would like to share a few concerns with you. There is a trend towards objectivity in education and this is very positive. However, I believe our reliance on standardized data as the biggest judge of what's going on in the school is causing a significant shift in how we educate our children each day. I believe standardized data must be put in relative perspective or the human factor in education may be seriously reduced.

Andover has responded quite rapidly to the community concerns regarding greater emphasis on basic skills. We do not have the basic skills problems depicted in the media.

In the year ahead I would hope that the citizens of Andover would be more objective. We have received considerable public criticism regarding what's happening in our schools. The recent survey at the elementary school level points out there are many satisfied citizens in this town. The objectivity that I am referring to is that with the criticism, and I feel criticism is an essential part of growth, we must also give credit where credit is due. Making people feel good about the job they are doing also fosters growth. A balance is essential.

In conclusion, I felt 1975 was a better year than 1974.

Reading

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on the other hand, they would be getting more and more of the same, whether they needed it or not, and some of the areas in which they needed help might never be identified and remediated.

The youngsters are tested all the way through, she says, so that as they pass one level, they can go to the next, up through 10 reading levels, or through grade six.

Beyond that, youngsters are challenged by special reading lists.

In the spring of 1974, a research team from the American Institute for Research in Palo Alto, Calif., had made an on-site inspection of Andover elementary schools. They turned their findings over to a panel in Washington, D.C., who made the final decision - choosing 12, including adult and special education programs, for national distribution.

The Andover Individualized Reading Program now being disseminated includes a filmstrip, a management handbook, and an instructional handbook.

One of the things the Andover program had going for it, Mrs. Murphy says, is that it could be validated.

"It does work," she said.

In addition to meeting the needs of all students, regardless of their ability, it provides a unified program throughout town. so there is a minimum of adjustment when a child transfers from one school to another.

Furthermore, she says, it stimulates a basic love and interest in reading.

The on-site reading team also told Mrs. Murphy they had only seen one program that could compete with Andover's in broadness and that - the Hawaii English Program - was in a special category where English was taught as a second language.

They also credited the program with "flexibility" while somewhat individualized, it also includes a lot of inter-action with teachers and other children, where appropriate.

Mrs. Murphy shared credit for the program with Superintendent Kenneth R. Seifert and the reading specialists who have developed 14,000 worksheets of lessons. They include Miss Katherine Costello, Mrs. Mary Lou Shea, Mrs. Sheila LaMontagne, Mrs. Nancy H. Smith, Miss Jane Markiewicz and Miss Maureen Mangiaglia.

The result of their work, Mrs. Murphy says, was that everywhere the research team looked, "they found Andover children reading."

July 4 Program

The sixth annual "Old Time Fourth" observance was a financial success as well as a most popular event again in 1975.

The committee which plans the all day affair, had

income of \$6,328.93, from sale of tickets, which are moderate in price, donations and sale of balloons.

Expenses for music, food, entertainment, etc., amounted to \$5,854.80, resulting in a "profit" of \$514.13, which was returned to the town.

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Sullivan suggested a traffic problem in town as his own best solution. As long as there is a problem downtown, he said, avoid it. When they problem goes away, Lannan proposed a traffic light at the intersection.

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He also noted that productivity per far

Faneuil Hall

Faneuil Hall was given to the Town by Peter Faneuil, French Huguenot merchant, and used as a public market town hall. For nearly 200 years it was the site of the town meetings, and it was the leadership of Samuel Adams against British oppression that has since been called the "cradle of liberty".

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"People have time to look at the sign," she said, "and I also have time to see my friends and neighbors."

Furthermore, she said, going slowly is what the law requires, and hopefully, as people go slowly down Main Street, "they can see the lovely merchandise in the windows of the revitalized business district."

Connors said that "levity is great but there IS a problem."

Several of the businesses get out in the afternoon about the same time as the school children," he said, and repeated his plan to reroute through traffic around the square.

Sullivan suggested that the traffic problem might be its own best solution.

As long as there are hangups downtown, he said, people will avoid it. When they avoid it, the problem goes away.

Lannan proposed adding a traffic light at Elm Square,

where there are "a lot of near misses", for an even flow of traffic through the center.

School Committee

Robert Najjar was first among the school committee candidates to try to solve overcrowding in the secondary schools.

For the short term, effective in September, he proposed an extended or staggered school day, for one year. For the next two to four years, he proposed use of Sacred Heart School. In the meantime, he said, a blue ribbon committee could formulate direction for the 1980's.

He said overcrowding had already gone "beyond tolerable limits" in terms of both physical facilities and educational requirements.

Joseph Finn said it was necessary to define a problem before solving it, and he wasn't sure the crunch was that

severe. East Junior High, he said, has handled more than 1,000 pupils at one time, and the "uncle" point at the high school is 1500.

Second-story rooms over the library and multi-purpose rooms at the high school might be the most speedy and economical solution, he said.

An addition to the high school was still another possibility, Finn said, along with purchase of Sacred Heart and a rescheduled school day, or some form of grade regrouping.

He said the acquisition price of Sacred Heart was only the "tip of the iceberg", and that the building would cost up to \$2 million to renovate.

David Ahouse said he could not recommend "the" best solution until more detailed information was in on all the alternatives.

He said the problem had been defined and that a conservative estimate was that they could

expect 500 more secondary pupils over the next six to eight years.

He also mentioned a 4-4 plan, Sacred Heart, a high school addition, rescheduled day, and remodeling.

He said a decision would have to involve a complicated thinking process that took into account economic and educational trade-offs. He also favored the setting of a timetable, with a temporary solution in effect by fall.

Casimir Kolaski called an addition to the high school "clearly the best educational solution", but said it was too costly. He supported the purchase and renovation of Sacred Heart, to be ready by September of 1977, with a maximum capacity of 900 pupils and a cost of \$1.30 to \$1.50 on the tax rate.

Any solution, he said, will have to provide adequate space for 300 to 500 pupils, be educationally sound, financially acceptable to the community, and available to solve the needs of the current students, and offer insurance for the future, "in case the bulge is as permanent as some of us think it to be."

Atty. Paul Kenny pointed up the need for long-range planning, adding that most communities face problems with "reaction".

"I submit that we have to find out what Andover's going to need."

He said it would take three to five years to get Sacred Heart ready and that the only solution was to embark on a complete study, not to settle for any "stop gap" measures now.

He said Andover was the sixth or seventh largest town in the state. "We need to know how much are we going to grow," he said, and concluded that he didn't believe overcrowding has a detrimental effect on the achievement of students.

Solutions Now

When asked to be more specific about a solution "now", Ahouse said the only viable thing was some restructuring of the school day.

Kolaski reluctantly agreed and Kenny felt an answer might be found in better use of space through more careful scheduling of classes.

The school candidates were unanimously opposed to the use of portable classrooms, and when Moderator Sue Tucker suggested they go on to something more controversial, she got it: the traditional alternative and its costs.

In the way the traditional program was established, Najjar said, he would not have gone along with it.

He said he didn't believe in making decisions before all of the relative data had been presented, though he added that if elected, he would support the traditional program.

"It seemed it was decided we were going to have a traditional program," he said, "then we went out and found out who wanted it, where it was going to be, and who was going to teach. . . all after we decided there was going to be one."

He said there would be some materials, busing and faculty costs, and that the secondary schools might suffer loss of diverted funds.

Kolaski said the system already offers several "structures", and that the major emphasis ought to be placed on improving those. However, he said, the school committee has made a commitment and that should be honored.

He said that the cost per pupil will be higher in the traditional environment, due to start-up costs, and that the traditional shouldn't be considered a permanent part of the schools until the costs are examined. He concluded that he had no philosophical commitment. In all issues, he said, we have to look at the value for cost, and not personal preference.

Ahouse said that while there are three structures in the contemporary program, "they are not uniform throughout the system."

He said there is a need for the traditional alternative, and he feels it will be of benefit to the town.

He said the student-teacher ration will be consistent with other staffing patterns in the system, and that the cost per pupil and curriculum objectives are also to be the same.

He said that while the administration had forecast the need for four teachers, he felt there may not be a need for more because of "outages". The system loses 20 to 30 teachers a year, he said, and finding someone to teach in a traditional program will not be difficult.

Finn said he planned to send two children to the traditional program in the fall.

The traditional classroom has been in existence for many, many decades, he went on. If it did not achieve satisfactorily over the next two to three years, it would be the result of poor administration.

He added quickly, however, that he did not anticipate that would happen, and also said that the traditional program would be "one giant step toward easing of tension."

Figures clearly show, Kenny said, there will be a need for new teachers, and that they should make sure they get the traditional teachers right away.

Food Production In State Needs Boost

Stepping up food production in Massachusetts is in the best interests of consumers in the state and also a better distribution of agricultural productivity in the U.S., according to the Massachusetts Department of Food and Agriculture.

"The majority of our food supply in this country comes from very few areas, such as Florida and California, and we should reverse this trend," Harvard nutrition professor Dr. Jean Mayer said at the New England Dairy and Food Council annual meeting last week.

"We should stop this constant erosion of our land, which is being taken over by housing developments, airports and the like," said Mayer.

He also noted that agricultural productivity per farmer has in-

creased in the U.S., but productivity per acre of land could be improved.

"While the world food supply situation is better, it is still precarious, and the world is excessively dependent on North American food imports."

The world population will double in about 35 years, from four billion to eight billion," Mayer said.

"Our food supply is going to be under considerable pressures with the constant increase of the number of people abroad."

Though the cost of meat may go down a little this year, the long range outlook is for a rise in prices, Mayer predicted. "The milk price outlook is better, because dairy cows are more efficient converters of grain to food than are beef cattle."

He also noted that milk is one

of the more economical sources.

Best Buys

Best buys in fresh vegetables are cabbage, carrots, potatoes, yellow turnips, blue Hubbard and butternut squash, romaine lettuce, escarole, chicory, tomatoes, celery and broccoli.

In fresh fruit, best buys are temple, juice and navel oranges, tangerines, tangelos, grapefruit, lemons, bananas and Red Delicious apples.

At meat and poultry counters, there are good buys in beef chuck blade roasts and steaks, chuck shoulder roasts and steaks, bottom round roasts, beef liver, corned beef, whole chickens, leg and breast quarters.

Best values in fish are fresh pollock fillets, sea trout, frozen dressed whiting and cod fillets.

Faneuil Hall

Faneuil Hall was built in 1742 and given to the Town of Boston by Peter Faneuil, a wealthy French Huguenot merchant, for use as a public market house and town hall. For nearly 80 years it was the site of the Boston Town Meeting, and it was here, under the leadership of James Otis, Samuel Adams and others, organized resistance developed against British oppression. The hall has since been called the "cradle of liberty".

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Andover's Election And Our Choices

Andover's annual town election will take place Monday and for the interest shown by the candidates, a good turnout of voters should be forthcoming.

It has been several years since there has been such a good turnout of candidates seeking the major offices now available under the town manager charter.

The seven candidates for selectmen, six for school committee and two for regional vocational school committee, offer a wide variety of backgrounds and talents for municipal service.

Under such conditions, the choice is difficult, but after evaluation and with the future of Andover in mind, we recommend to the voters the following:

Selectman

Richard J. Bowen: Mr. Bowen is unquestionably well versed in municipal administration and operations.

That he is a former town manager here raises certain questions of his relationship with the present administrator.

We feel confident that he would assume the posture of being a selectman, and not a manager in his elective role.

If anything, having sat across the table, as it were, for many years, we might assume he would be more on the sympathetic side of the manager -- an aide rather than an adversary.

Bowen, since leaving the Andover manager position, has remained a resident of the town, demonstrating a fondness for the community and its qualities. Added to this, of course, is his knowledge of the town coupled with his education and experience in meeting problems, which well could be a valuable asset to the board of selectmen.

Susan T. Poore: Mrs. Poore, an Andover native, has demonstrated in the campaign a sincere interest in the future of Andover and its long range planning.

Her willingness to listen to all sides on the Central Business District problems, and a desire to move from the status of continued studies and consultant services, to positive action, provides a ray of hope that there will be some decisions made in this area, even if it is status quo.

She has impressed with her concerns to maintain the character of Andover. As an Andover native, she has expressed the desire to work with newer residents and senior citizens alike to retain the unique quality of the community with its balance of equitable residential, in-

dustrial and commercial ratios, carefully interspersed with open space.

We feel Mrs. Poore has shown she can well become a member of the town's policy making board and forcefully follow through to insure implementation of decisions.

School Committee

David R. Ahouse: Elected to the school committee a year ago to fill a vacancy, Ahouse has earned a return to a full three-year term.

Elected to a board still steeped in controversy, Ahouse served this past year with a studied calm in reaching difficult decisions.

To him fell the difficult task of negotiating a new contract with the Andover Education Association.

In that process, as well as such matters as dealing with the administration, setting up a traditional school program, Ahouse has taken the time to evaluate and make decisions in a manner not vociferous, but quietly efficient.

Atty. Paul Kenny: What impresses most about Atty. Kenny is his seemingly "unattached" status.

In recent years, we have had such labelled candidates as liberals, conservatives, moderates, and supporters from the various camps.

Kenny seems to be running simply as a candidate interested in Andover's educational system, not based on some philosophical commitment. This could be a refreshing change.

Too, Kenny, as town counsel in Danvers and counsel for the school committee there, has had an active part in the collective bargaining process, which is a positive asset to modern school committee activities.

Vo-Tech Committee

We would suggest that **John P. Childs** could bring some new views to the Greater Lawrence Regional Vocational Technical School Committee.

This is not to say that James Booth, the retired director of the school, is not eminently qualified to view vocational education.

Andover in recent years has expressed considerable concern over the budgetary process of the Voke school board.

Mr. Childs quite possibly could bring Andover's concern to the committee as an elected voting member, and initiate the town's desire for some local control over costs of the regional school.



Richard J. Bowen



Susan T. Poore



David R. Ahouse



Atty. Paul L. Kenny



John P. Childs

Finally, Our Appreciation

In recent years, it has become difficult to look upon politics as a noble profession because of the few who have marred the public image.

But, in Andover, we have been most fortunate over the years to have had interested citizens, willing to give of their time and efforts to municipal service and offer themselves to the electorate.

Thus, as their tenure comes to an end this week, we wish to express our appreciation to Selectmen George E. Heseltine, Edmund J. Sullivan, Jr., and School Committeeman Robert B. McIntyre for their contributions to municipal operations in Andover.

Public service is a sacrifice which few people realize, but happily, Andover has been favored to have been able to have capable service rendered by such as the men who retire from office as of Monday night.

75 Years Ago - March 18, 1901

The new fire alarm at town meeting last installed at the corner of Timothy Abbot's street, a short distance from the railroad bridge. The alarm bell is 25.

Contrary to the fire of the board of public highway department culvert on East Chester for Rogers Brook will be rebuilt. It will be a

Fire Loss

The following is a list of activities of the Andover Fire Department between March 9 and March 15, 1976.

March 9 - County Road, Gray, car fire. Fought by Road, Irving Wilkins. Fire. Off Appleton. Merrimack College, 468 Lowell St., Georgetown, 3 Essex Place, flooded oil burner.

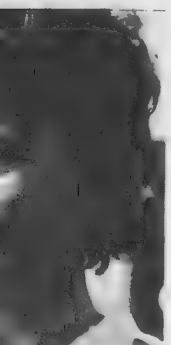
March 13 - East Johnson School, Town of Andover, alarm.

March 12 - Railroad, Micgudan Realty, interior.

The Andover Fire Department ambulance responded to 11 calls during the period.



J. Bowen



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L. Kenny



Childs

Down The Years With The Townsman

75 Years Ago - March, 1901

The new fire alarm box, vetoed at town meeting last week, was installed at the corner near Timothy Abbot's on Mineral street, a short distance from the railroad bridge. The number will be 25.

Contrary to the first intention of the board of public works and highway department, the entire culvert on East Chestnut street for Rogers Brook will have to be rebuilt. It will be a brick arch

with new retaining walls.

Still the talk of the town is the comment of the unidentified speaker at town meeting who objected to appropriating funds for a town playground, declaring it a useless waste of money "because the whole town is a playground".

Work on the Haverhill-Andover electric road was begun this week by Contractor Ley. Superintendent Fuller will oversee the construction.

Inspector Murphy of the Lawrence police was in town Monday looking up matters relating to a robbery in the city. Some of the goods were found buried in a secluded spot off Ballardvale road.

50 Years Ago - March, 1926

Moderator Alfred E. Stearns has turned over to Nathan C. Hamblin, principal of Punched, his \$10 fee for conducting town meeting, to be used as a prize for a student writing the best essay in civics.

Jimmy Ross has selected most of his team for the coming baseball season, with Jimmy Dyer as catcher considered the prize. Others signed include Ben Hyde, Frank Nelligan, Sam Deyermond, Russell Blunt, Ralph Hewitt and John Daley.

Leo F. Daley of this town has been named head junior usher for the annual commencement exer-

cises at Harvard University.

Field Secretary Theresa E. Schmidt of the National Playground Association, addresses the November Club on the advantages of playgrounds to communities. Goal of the association is a playground in every community of over 8,000 population.

Elected president of the Ladies Auxiliary to Clan Johnston Monday night was Mrs. Charlotte Holden. Other officers are Mrs. George Petrie, vice president; Miss Anna Smith, secretary and Mrs. George Nicol, financial secretary.

25 Years Ago - March, 1951

A proposal to use Carmel Woods as a town recreation area was made by newly elected Board of Public Works member Victor Mill, Monday night.

Contracts for the two new schools expected to be awarded soon. There were 14 general contractors bidding on the West school and nine on the Central school.

Don Mulvey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Mulvey of 87 Chestnut St., established records as a freshman with the Harvard swim team in the season just concluded.

Boosters Club announces plans to honor Punched Basketball team for its undefeated regular season play and going to the semi-finals of the Tech tourna-

ment.

School board approves \$260 salary increases for teachers and \$208 for janitors in accordance with recommendations of the town salary committee recommendations.

10 Years Ago - March, 1966

Voters at a special town meeting Tuesday night approved \$700,000 in additional funds for the new high school. Bids are expected to be called next week.

William E. Hart, junior high principal, presents film from NEW on team teaching to lay-professional committee studying

the matter for possible implementation here.

The selectman Monday night formally accepted the federal government's offer of \$52,000 for planning funds for a new elementary school in south Andover.

Robert Volker, president of the newly formed local 77 of Mass. Federation of State, City and Town Employees, says group has no immediate plans.

Selectmen approve a plan by C. Lincoln Giles to incorporate the Ballardvale Railroad station in a new apartment complex he intends to build there.

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WEEKLY SPECIAL

Breaking Up That Old Gang

by Jack Anderson
with Joe Spear

WASHINGTON — We received a mysterious call recently from a man who identified himself only as "Z". That telephone call led to the break-up of a multimillion-dollar counterfeiting ring. The Secret Service, working with our staff, arrested the ringleaders just as they were preparing to flood Latin America with \$10 million in counterfeit \$50 bills.

The story would make a great TV mystery. There are some details we still can't reveal. We have to protect the mysterious Mr. "Z." His life could be in danger from members of the gang still at large. But here are the details that can now be told:

For reasons that might reveal his identity, "Z" wanted no part of the \$10 million counterfeiting scheme. He telephoned us, because he didn't trust the government. He was afraid he might wind up in prison with the counterfeiters.

"Z" told us enough on the telephone to convince us he was no crank caller. He agreed to meet one of our reporters on a street corner in New York City. We sent Howie Kurtz, who waited on the corner with an open red umbrella so "Z" would identify him.

Mr. "Z" told Kurtz about the plan to print \$10 million in fake \$50 bills. Couriers were waiting, he said, to distribute the bills throughout Central and South America. He said at least \$1 million in phony fifties had already been run off the press. As evidence, he gave our reporter three \$50 bills, which looked

genuine to him.

At this point, they telephoned us from New York City, and we persuaded "Z" to cooperate with the Secret Service.

The next day, our reporter turned over the three \$50 bills to the Secret Service, which quickly determined they were counterfeit. In fact, more than \$36,000 from the same bogus batch had already turned up this year in Santo Domingo.

Later in the day, we put "Z" himself in touch with the Secret Service. He directed an undercover agent to Miami, where the counterfeiting ring was holed up in a fashionable, \$700-a-month house.

We have to leave out some details, but we can report that the agent made contact with the counterfeiters. Posing as an underworld operator, he dickered to buy some of the counterfeit bills.

Not long afterward, \$86,000 in fake bills were delivered to a waiting car. The Secret Service immediately arrested the ringleader, Antonio Demetrio Torrez, a printer from the Dominican Republic. Arrested with him were two Puerto Ricans, Jose Davila and Humberto Acosta.

The Secret Service also confiscated the negatives that Torrez was using to print the counterfeit millions. Torrez still has no idea how the Secret Service nailed him.

"The Rainmaker": The most effective lobbyist on Capitol Hill today is William Timmons. He is known in the backrooms as "The Rain-

maker" because he has been able to produce a downpour of benefits for his clients.

Timmons learned the ins and outs of Capitol Hill as a White House lobbyist for former President Richard Nixon. After Nixon's fall, Timmons set up his own consulting firm. Lobbyists never like to call themselves lobbyists. So they call themselves consultants instead.

Timmons is an unlikely rainmaker. He has a middle American look; there is nothing suave about him. He never uses high pressure. He's just friendly, easygoing, skilled at the "soft sell."

Most importantly, he knows the right people -- on the Republican side. Now he has hired House Speaker Carl Albert's top aide, Michael Reed, to take care of the Democratic side.

For years, Reed has literally sat outside the Speaker's door and has dealt personally with the Democratic Congressmen.

A few weeks ago, Reed became involved in the natural gas pricing battle. The Speaker bent the House rules to see that a bill, deregulating natural gas prices, reached the floor for a vote.

Now his top aide, Michael Reed, has gone to work for "The Rainmaker," whose clients include such natural gas outfits as Standard Oil of Indiana, the Alabama Gas Corporation, Atlanta Gas and Light, the Natural Gas Supply Committee and Connecticut Natural Gas, to name just a few.

Reed insisted to our associate, Jack Cloherty, that there was no connection. Reed said he did not use his position in Albert's office to help the natural gas clients that now employ him.

But there are those on Capitol Hill who wonder, in any event. That's the way the legislative clouds are opened on Capitol Hill.

Shuttle Shortcomings: It looks as if the proposed space shuttle may cost far more than the original estimate.

Worse, it may endanger the environment.

These are the confidential findings of the General Accounting Office. We have seen the confidential report, and we believe the public is entitled to know what it says.

The space shuttle has already cost over \$3 billion. The report estimates that, in the development stage alone, the cost overrun will be more than \$1 billion. States the confidential report:

"The probable outcome will be increased cost and reduced performance, coupled with a longer period of uncertainty as to whether the space shuttle can reliably carry out its... mission."

The report also claims the space agency underestimated the effects of the sonic booms, which the space shuttle will cause. These could dangerously deplete the earth's ozone layer, the report warns.

Taxing the Tipsters: Stool pigeons for the FBI, Justice Department and other agencies get paid for their information, but rarely do they claim their clandestine income on their tax returns. Not so with stoolies for the Internal Revenue Service. The IRS insists that its informants always pay taxes on their secret salaries, and the tax men thoroughly examine their returns every year to see that they do.

Junked Junket: At the Interior Department, the new public affairs chief, Lou Churchill, recently drew up plans to get his subordinates together for a conference. The scheme called for 50 or 60 public affairs officers to gather in New Orleans. There was even a convenient excuse: Interior Secretary Tom Kleppe would be there at the same time, and he could speak to his spokesmen.

But, believe it or not, a number of bureaucrats rebelled at the boondoggle. Result: the trip was cancelled and about 15,000 taxpayers' dollars were saved.

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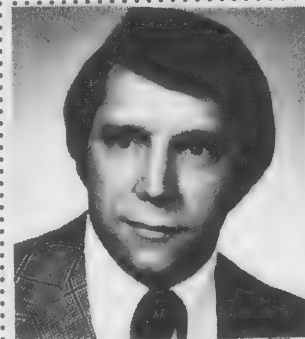
April 26-30

COLORED GLASS AND CANS

Annual Dinner

Several local lawyers are members of the Middlesex County Bar Association which will hold its 77th Annual dinner on Thursday evening, March 18, at 7 p.m., at Statler Hilton Hotel in Boston.

Local members include: James B. Krasnoo, Candlewood Drive, and John E. Sheehy, Main St., Andover.



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windy & cold,

Munday the 25 of March this Day we staid on the hills & praded with the regement

Tuesday March the 26 this Day I went to Bostown & went al over town & got out before Night

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March 22

Monday - soup steamed all-beef roll, mustard, relish, potato sticks, chili and milk.

Tuesday - chilled braised chunks of beef, fluffy white rice, buttered green peas, sauce, white or brown bread, brownie and milk.

Wednesday - tasty with tomato sauce, green beans, potato, assorted desserts and milk.

Thursday - baked giblet gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered green peas, sauce, white or brown bread, chilled pea milk.

Friday - chilled cheese pizza, tossed with cheese chunks, midnight cake with milk.

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SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

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March 22-26

Monday - soup of the day, steamed all-beef frankfurt on roll, mustard, relish, catsup, potato sticks, chilled fruit cup and milk.

Tuesday - chilled orange juice, braized chunks of beef and gravy, fluffy white rice, buttered carrot slices, white or whole wheat bread, brownie and milk.

Wednesday - tasty cutlet on roll with tomato sauce, buttered green beans, potato chips, assorted desserts and milk.

Thursday - baked chicken with giblet gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered green peas, cranberry sauce, white or whole wheat bread, chilled pear slices and milk.

Friday - chilled juice, sliced cheese pizza, tossed green salad with cheese chunks, chocolate midnight cake with frosting and milk.

Senior Citizens

Monday - chilled punch, baked imported ham, sweet potatoes, buttered green beans, hot rolls and butter, chilled fruit cup and choice of beverage.

Tuesday - chilled orange juice, braized chunks of beef and gravy, fluffy white rice, buttered carrot slices, rolls and butter, brownie and choice of beverage.

Wednesday - baked liver and bacon, tasty sauce, whipped potatoes, whole kernel corn, hot rolls and butter, assorted desserts and choice of beverage.

Thursday - chilled fruit punch, baked chicken with giblet gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered green peas, cranberry sauce, rolls and butter, chilled pear slices and choice of beverage.

Friday - chilled juice, baked scallop casserole with butter-crumbs topping, whipped potatoes, buttered vegetable, rolls and butter, chocolate midnight cake with frosting and choice of beverage.

For Those Of Us Who Are Older

Andover's senior citizens are going to Lowell March 26 at 1:15 to appear in support of H 3160, a bill in the Mass. Legislature in support of health cost controls. Anyone interested in accompanying the group may sign up at The Haven. Since available space is limited, you must sign up immediately.

If you'd like to go to the Flower Show in Manchester, N.H. April 2, there is still room on the bus for you. Cost for transportation and admission is \$3.50. Lunch will be available at a large restaurant at the site. Stop by The Haven, 25 Barnard St. to make your reservation.

The trip to London sponsored by The Haven is scheduled for April 10 through April 18 and includes a side trip to Andover, England. The cost of \$445 includes air transportation, hotels, continental breakfast, 3 tours, 2 nights at the theater, tips and

gratuities. Call The Haven for more information, but call now for time is short.


On April 13 a group from The Haven will be going in to Boston for dinner at Whimsey's with entertainment by Frank Sinatra, Jr. Cost of the affair including dinner and transportation is \$11. Reservations to be made at The Haven.

Tickets are available for the May 20 Senior Citizens Bicentennial Ball. You may purchase yours at The Haven for \$3. The price of admission includes a turkey dinner, dancing, and

entertainment.

The Haven is located at 25 Barnard St. in Andover and is the town supported drop-in center for all residents over 60. Everyone is invited to stop by, enjoy the many varied activities, and relax in the pleasant atmosphere. There is always someone there to chat with, there are trained people to assist in social services - a good place to visit regularly. Why not do it today?

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Jane and Carol DeFranco
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What Our Readers Say

To the Editor of the TOWNSMAN

It was helpful of the TOWNSMAN to direct attention to the Question on the Ballot of March 22 with respect to asking the voters to grant more power to town officials by removing more employees from the protection of Civil Service. Contrary to the TOWNSMAN's view, a NO vote appears best. May I explain.

First, keep in mind that it is clear where a power can be abused, it will be. That is a principal reason for civil service.

Next consider that in recent years this is the third time that town officials have asked that certain employees be removed from civil service protection. Questions 3 and 4 on the Ballot of the March 4, 1974 Town Meeting is the most recent. It is clear also that there is a program afoot to induce the voters to give away the protection that civil service affords in the matter of employees being free to expose what may appear to be improper without fear of losing their jobs. Bit by bit the steps are being taken.

Consider how much better we would be today if, say only two people in President Nixon's inner management group had had the protection of civil service.

Of equal weight here in Andover is the worsening situation that the town's principal consulting engineer is also the source of many of the new employees that are taken in without civil service qualification.

Considering the ordinary degree of ethics that pervades government, it is a puzzle that the Office of Selectmen tolerates a situation where a principal advisor to the town in matters of engineering also provides the employees to the town in the more important decision making process day by day.

It should be clear that there would be no effective arm's length assaying of the situation should something provided by the consulting engineer prove to be less than required.

Should approval be given to this plan of the Office of Selectmen to gather more arbitrary power to itself in the name of efficiency, to be sure, we would be voting away a vital protection that town meeting cannot afford to lose. A no vote seems best for Question 1.

Karl Haartz

Editor's Note: We do not know where Mr. Haartz got the idea that the TOWNSMAN had taken a position on the ballot question. We have not commented on either side of the issue.

To the Editor of the TOWNSMAN

A story appearing in the March 11 issue of the TOWNSMAN concerning the opposition of Andover officials to the State new open meetings law deserves clarification.

The recent hearing before the legislative Committee on State Administration concerned several bills that have been in-

troduced to amend the new open meetings law. Among those proposals is a bill to provide for penalties for willful violation of the law. The present law contains no such penalties, the prescribed remedy being voidability by a court of any action taken in an illegally closed meeting. Mr. Austin's remarks, as reported, are misleading on this point.

Representatives of Common Cause, The League of Women Voters, and the Massachusetts Newspaper Publishers Association, all of whom are long time proponents of open meetings, testified in opposition to all attempts to change the law at this time. We believe the new law is a good one and that, at the very least, it should be afforded a reasonable testing period, certainly more than two months, before any attempt is made to change it.

A major concern of the Andover Selectmen appears to be the question of discussing the professional competence of public employees in open meetings. The law provides that meetings may be closed for discussion of professional competence. Common Cause continues to believe that the professional competence and performance of public officials and employees is a matter of legitimate concern to those citizen/taxpayers whose lives are affected by those official action.

Common Cause is encouraging its members and other citizens to monitor meetings of local governmental bodies in their own communities. Summaries of the law and guidelines for monitoring meetings may be obtained from Common Cause - Massachusetts, 73 Tremont St., Boston, 02108.

Carolyn K. Stewart
Legislative Director

To the Editor of the TOWNSMAN

Through your newspaper column may I give some comments relative to our upcoming Andover Town Election on March 22, 1976. My technique as to know who to vote for - is to study every candidate seeking office as to their rhetoric versus informative statements to prove their qualifications regarding the office they seek. The reason I study is because I am not clever enough to choose a qualified candidate by a flip of a coin. I want to know how much they know about the office they seek and what it entails.

I also want to know what each candidate knows about our Andover town government relative to Rules, Regulations, Policies, etc. If a candidate does not know his town government it will make it difficult for him to function properly in these difficult times with issues, problems - inflation - recession - productivity - finance and what have you.

For candidates running for office we the people in Andover are quite anxious to have the most qualified persons elected to serve us in these most difficult times.

May we therefore reach our goal in the Town Election in this our Bicentennial year. Elect the best - That's the test.

Grace B. Peters
77 Main Street

To the Editor of the TOWNSMAN

It should be known that some of the students in Andover High care who is voted on to the School Committee. In recent weeks, I have requested and received 500 dollars for our school newspaper. I would like to thank the Pynchard Alumni and the administration of the Andover school system for their support. I want especially to thank Mr. Wormwood for his interest in our newspaper.

It is important to us that such organizations are kept alive. The radio station, band, chorus, tennis team and newspaper are such activities that need town support. Our "arts" are very important to us, and we want them to survive.

David Stein
3 Glenn Cove, Andover

CHURCHES

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Rev. Donald K. Coburn, Minister
Cor. Rt. 114 & 133, North Andover
SUNDAY: 9 a.m. Church School; 10:30 a.m. Worship; Nursery care: 7 p.m. High School Youth.

Honor Roll

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Paul J. Girard, Lynda Guyeska, Scott D. Harris, Maxine Heselt, Patty L. Hughes, Emily S. Kearns, Rebecca L. Kiker, Barbara L'Italien, Linda A. Lansdowne, Susan Lindholm, Hope E. Mascott, Maryanne McNamara, George G. Monds, Barbara H. Need, Priscilla Nolett, Chris P. Parker, Lawrence Plourde, David Reichert, Michael C. Ruggiero, Andrew V. Socha, Kimberlee J. Wilson, John R. Zurwell.

On Dean's List

Martin W. Davis of 297 North Main Rear, Andover, a freshman in the College of Liberal Arts, has been named to the Dean's Honors List for the Fall semester of the 1975-76 academic year at Suffolk University Boston.

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The second will be on Tuesday, March 30, for those from M-Z.

The programs will run from 7 to 9 p.m., and both evenings will be used for short parent-teacher conferences.

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Militia Guests Of Cub Pack

The Andover Company of Militia were guests of Cub Pack 102 at its recent Blue and Gold banquet held at the Bancroft School. Cubmaster Dan Day gave the prayer and Den 5 performed the opening ceremonies.

At a display after the dinner, Capt. Ed Parker paraded his brigade to the fife and drum and put Sgt. Robert Butler, father of

one of the Cubs, through an exciting drill. Capt. Parker told of the history of the militia, and brought a display of interesting items used by soldiers in colonial times. The entertainment was completed with music from the fife and drum group.

Presentation of the following awards completed the evening: Wolf - David Hughes, Peter MacDonald, Andy Galbiati,

Steven Letch, Glen Harvey, Brian Mackey, Jimmy Pelz, Whitney Bailey, Harvey Eckoff, Michael Hogg, Matt Ostrowski, Jeffrey Voge, David Casanave, Mark Asgeirson, Bill Evans, Allen Gable, Jonathan Gardener, John Recesso, Jon Slam, Donald Yeiter; Bear - Robert Butler, Richard Califano, Arthur Muldoon; Gold Arrow - Andy Galbiati, Stephen Zaines, two; Engineer - Philip Appleton, Joel Brother, Steven Caban, David Dow, Michael Flieder, Dean Richmond, Bobby Weil; Craftsman - Carl Schwind, Daniel Heiter, Christer Mattsson, Robert Ruel, Austin Wiehe, Jerry Witt, Eric Day; Citizen - Steven Dongal, Glen Letch, Michael Sanchez, Scott Harris; Showman - Kurt Brown, Michael Sanchez, Glen Letch, Richard Travis, Howard Miller; Aquanaut - Steven Dongal, Scott Harris; Naturalist and Artist - Kurt Brown.

Wild Flower Group To Meet

H. Lincoln Foster, well-known rock garden specialist and past President of the American Rock Garden Society will lecture on "Wild Flowers - Preservation By Propagation" at the New England Wild Flower Society's

Annual Meeting.

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Comet West Could Be Visible On Sunday

If you want to celebrate the rites of spring this year, you can't sleep in Saturday morning, warns the Planetarium at Boston's Museum of Science. Spring is scheduled to arrive March 20 at 6:50 a.m.

If you arise even earlier, before the sun, you might see Comet West, which, though past its prime, may still be visible to the naked eye.

For slug-a-beds as well as for those who like to be prepared for their own stargazing sessions, the Planetarium covers significant celestial events of the spring in its program, Stars of Spring, presented March 23 through April 5.

The Planetarium explains that the first day of spring marks the time when the sun, slowly moving northward since December, shines directly over the equator and makes day and night of an equal, 12-hour length everywhere on the globe.

The most unusual event of the spring session - - occurring only once every 400 to 500 years - - is the obscuring by Mars of the bright star, Epsilon, in Gemini (The Twins). This occultation takes place April 7 and lasts five minutes, from 7:57 to 8:02 p.m. Because Mars is six times brighter than Epsilon and the naked eye has difficulty distinguishing the fainter object's light, Mars' passage will appear to take as long as two hours. On the dome of the Planetarium, however, the event is easily demonstrated.

In addition to identifying such prominent bodies as Jupiter and Saturn, the program points out several star clusters, some of which may be seen by the naked eye. The Beehive in Cancer the Crab and the globular cluster in Hercules the Kneeling Giant are visible to casual viewers, but telescopes are needed to glimpse an area known as The Realm of the Galaxies, sighted through Virgo, and more than 30 million light years distant.

The Stars of Spring program is followed by Target: Mars, emphasizing the forthcoming

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Making Preparations

The Andover Beta Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will be sponsoring a Yellow Rose Charity Ball to benefit the Merrimack Valley Cerebral Palsy Center. It will be held Saturday, March 27 at the Montvale Plaza in Stoneham. All members are working diligently on the final preparations to make the dance a huge success, assisted by their youngsters as shown here with Julie Connors and Lisa Graves checking over floral arrangements.



A Floral Assist

Members of the Andover Garden Club visited the Mary Immaculate Nursing Home in Lawrence Tuesday where they assisted the residents in making corsages for St. Patrick's Day. Here, Mrs. James Doherty chats with Miss Gladys Hill.

Selected As Academic Assistant

Ruth Warwick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Warwick of 23 Greenwood Road, Andover, has been selected to be an academic assistant for the spring semester in the anthropology department at Drew University. A graduate of Andover High School, she is a senior majoring in anthropology. Drew University is a leading, small independent university located in a 150-acre forested campus an hour west of New York City. Founded in 1886 as a theological seminary, it now offers degrees in three divisions -

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On March 25 there will be a Swiss Team Club Championship at South Church at 10 a.m. There will also be a Club Championship pair game for players having less than 20 master points. Directors are Ann Reynolds and Gloria Gottesfeld.

Winners this week:

Master Pairs

NORTH-SOUTH

1. Terri Struthers, Winifred Smith
2. Buddy Parker, Earl Bryant
- 3-4 Ileana Greenstein, Phyllis Wright

EAST-WEST

1. Pat Peterson, Sally Miller
2. Ruth Nagin, Linda Riehl
- 3-4 Alice O'Brien, Clint Walker
- 3-4 Dora Fiske, Mary Lou Thomas

Non-Master Pairs

In the non-masters game, there was a three-way tie for first place: Audrey Cole, Marguerite D'Amelio; Gladys Wolfe, Elise Allen; Gail Seeley, Marilyn Hunt.

Winners this week are:

NORTH-SOUTH

1. Betty Beckett, June Biancucci
2. Ethel Nicholson, Molly Neigher
3. Ann Reynolds, Mary Ellen O'Brien

EAST-WEST

1. Pat Peterson, Phyllis Wright
2. Jan Mosher, Norby Gross
3. Terri Struthers, Lucille Spaney
- 4-5 Barbara Crowley, Ruth Nagin
- 4-5 Chickie Blotner, Father Gino Gialdini

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The Andover Duplicate Bridge Club will hold a Unit Championship on March 25. All interested bridge players in the area are welcome to compete in this tournament. Winners last week were:

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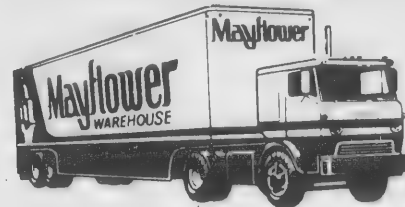
1. Ruth Woodward, Al Carpenter
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Chinese At Home

January 31 of this year the Lunar New Year Chinese, ushering in the dragon, 4674.

On Friday and Saturday, March 26-27, the dragon will personally appear in Lawrence to help celebrate the festival, to be held at the Lawrence YWCA.

The festival, sponsored by the International Institute YWCA, will also include a variety of ethnic exhibits, craft demonstrations and entertainment. It will run Friday from 6-10 p.m. and Saturday from noon to 5 p.m.

A creation of the American Chinese Teens (ACT), Boston's Chinese community.

Antiques, Crafts Fair Saturday

The Jewish Community Center's Women's Group will hold their Seventh Annual Antiques and Crafts Show on Saturday, March 27 from 1 p.m. to 10 p.m. The show will be held at the Jewish Community Center, Haverhill St., Lawrence. Directions: Route 93, Route 110 and 113 - 1/2 mile. The show will be held at the Jewish Community Center, Haverhill St., Lawrence. 35 dealers from all over England will be exhibiting antiques and crafts such as glassware, furniture, pottery, jewelry, book nook, bric-a-brac, etc. for sale. There will be a bakery table and snack table and free parking.

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Preparing For Sale

Looking over some of the offerings to be available at the Trash and Treasure sale planned for Saturday by the Andover-North Andover Newcomers Club at Christ Church Sunday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. are, from left, Julie Stratton, Jan Brink, Eunice Heilg and Irene Langane.

Chinese Dragon Due At Homelands Festival

January 31 of this year marked the Lunar New Year for the Chinese, ushering in the year of the dragon, 4674.

On Friday and Saturday, March 26-27, the dragon will personally appear in Lawrence to help celebrate the Homelands Festival, to be held in the Lawrence YWCA.

The festival, sponsored by the International Institute and the YWCA, will also include a potpourri of ethnic exhibits, foods, craft demonstrations and folk entertainment. It will be staged Friday from 6-10 p.m. and Saturday from noon to 5 p.m.

A creation of the Action from Chinese Teens (A.C.T.) in Boston's Chinese community, the

fierce paper dragon will weave its way through the aisles and onto the stage of the festival in tune to traditional Chinese music.

According to Fannie Kwan, one of the A.C.T. leaders, the dragon has always been a symbol of good fortune, of nobility and high authority. It rules with grace and distinction.

Historically, the dragon has held special significance for the Chinese as a spirit ruling the seas and oceans. It has the head of a horse, horns of a reindeer, claws of a dog, scales of a fish and the body swift and sleek as a snake, an animal capable of flying and yet also of ruling the seas.

The dragon is fourth in the 12-animal cycle which was said to have begun under the reign of the Yellow Emperor. The prime minister of the Emperor is credited with the grouping of the years into chronological cycles of 60 years, beginning in 2698 B.C.

(Therefore, 1976 is the year 4676 after the Yellow Emperor.)

The A.C.T. group will also sponsor a booth on Chinese culture during the two-day festival. Other countries and nationalities represented will include Mexico, Argentina, Greece, Armenia, Puerto Rico, Ireland, the American Indians and the French Canadians.

In addition to the pageant at the YWCA, the festival will also feature the Mandala Folk Dance Ensemble, a group of 40 dancers, singers and musicians who will perform Saturday, March 27 at 7:30 p.m. at Tenney Middle School Auditorium, Methuen.

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The Jewish Community Center Women's Group will present their Seventh Annual Antique and Crafts Show on Saturday, March 27 from 1 p.m. to 10 p.m. and Sunday, March 28 from 9 to 5 p.m. The show will be held at the Jewish Community Center, 580 Haverhill St., Lawrence, Mass. Directions: Route 93 to exit Route 110 and 113 - 1/2 mile on Route 110 (Haverhill Street).

35 dealers from all over New England will be exhibiting antiques and crafts such as china, glassware, furniture, primitives, jewelry, book nook, bric-a-brac, etc. for sale. There will be a bakery table and snack bar. Plenty of free parking.

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available at the YWCA and the Institute.

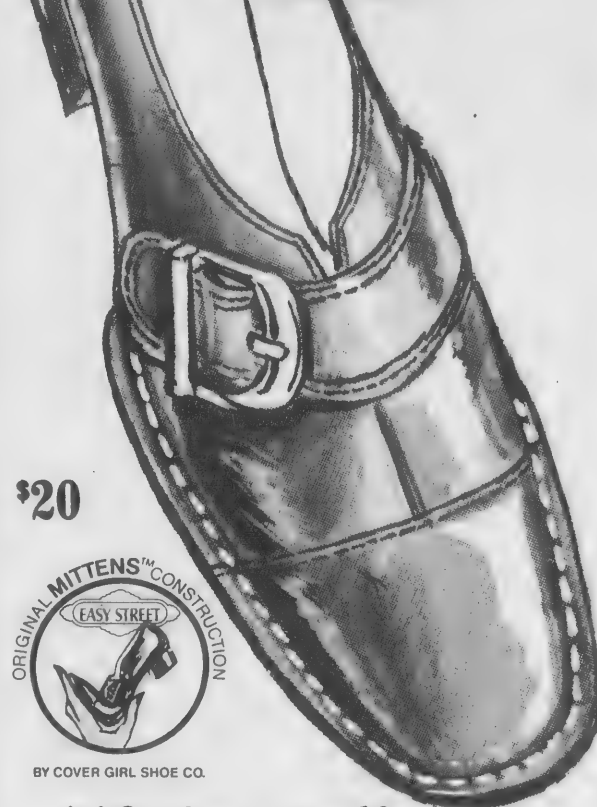
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Hermosa - Valentine

Miss Jane Valentine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald M. Valentine, 63 Reservation Road, Andover, became the bride of Luis V. Hermosa, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luis Hermosa of Quito, Ecuador, during a Feb. 29 ceremony in St. Joseph's Church, Andover.

Reverend Edward G. Robinson, O.S.A., officiated.

Miss Geraldine Shannon was maid-of-honor and Mrs. Dolores Albrecht was her bridesmaid.

Ronald D. Valentine performed best-man duties while William Valentine ushered guests.

Following a reception at the Andover Country Club, the couple left for New York City.

They reside in Charlestown.

Mrs. Hermosa is employed at the Massachusetts General Hospital.

Her husband is employed at the Copley Plaza Hotel.



Deborah J. St. Louis

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred H. St. Louis, 33 Chandler Road, Andover, announce the engagement of their daughter, Deborah Jean to Dennis J. Beaumier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Beaumier, 100 Cross St., Andover.

Miss St. Louis graduated from Andover High School and is a student at Lowell University majoring in Medical Technology and language.

Mr. Beaumier graduated from Andover High School and is presently employed at the firm of Celus Company, Andover.

A September wedding is planned.

Memorial Hall Library

Friday Feature Films

On Friday, March 19 at 7:30 p.m., Zebra In The Kitchen (1966) will be shown as the second feature in the film series. This film is the story of a boy who gets a job in the zoo to be near his pet lion. A contemporary comedy starring Jay North.

Polish Papercutting Demonstration

Wycinanki will be on display at the library until April 5. Over 100 pieces are included in this exhibit on loan from Ms. Madalyn Joyce Sargent of Marblehead, Mass. Ms. Sargent will be at the library in person on Sunday, April 4 to demonstrate the techniques of Polish papercutting.

Opera Club

The library Opera Club will meet on Friday, March 26 at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Ms. Fran McCormick, 4 Elysian Drive, Andover. The opera will be Der Rosenkavalier introduced by Lotte Bertheim, music teacher and critic.

Children's Room News By Ruth Hooten

In preparation for the coming of Spring, the Children's Room has not only acquired a new coat of sunny yellow paint, but our windows are now decorated with beautiful hanging plants. The plants and the colorful knotted hangers are a gift from the Four Seasons Garden Club. The club has also provided cards giving information about each plant. We can't thank the Four Seasons Garden Club enough for their marvelous addition to the Children's Room.

Films On Fridays will be ending soon but there are three more programs left. On March 19 the program will be Stone Soup, Mike Mulligan and His Steam Shovel, and An Italian In Algiers. The films on March 26 will be Time Of Wonder, Lizzy the Terri-

ble, and The Red Carpet. April 2nd is the last Films On Fridays for the season. On that day we will have a special feature Dr. Seuss On The Loose. As usual the films will be shown at 10:30 and 2:00.

VIBOR will NOT meet on Thursday, March 18, but will resume on March 26 at 4 p.m.

Is Appointed To Faculty

Darlene M. Morgan, 5 Brentwood Circle, Andover has been named to the Office Education Dept. faculty at Bunker Hill Community College in Charlestown, it has been an-

nounced by Harold E. Shively, president.

A graduate of Culver, Oregon High School and Oregon State University, she is currently a Master's candidate at Boston University.

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West Parish Church, was the setting candlelight wedding of Mrs. Arthur A. Nichols February 14.

The bride is the Pamela J. Darby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merwyn H. Darby, 51 Clark Road, Andover. The groom is the son of Mr. Robert Nichols of 69 Goff Road, Andover.

Dr. Otis Maxfield officiated. The 5:30 p.m. ceremony reception followed at Merrimack Valley Motel, North Andover.

Given in marriage parents, the bride wore gown with a beaded neckline. A self-trained flared from mid-waistline same beads and white trimmed the long sleeve tier shoulder-length French illusion was attached Juliette cap trimmed Quiana and maribou.

She carried a bouquet of roses, stephanotis and breath.

Mrs. Diana Goff Tewksbury served as maid of honor, and bridesmaid Miss Arlene Thiel of Lowell. Mrs. Beverly Coombs of Vermont. They wore matching gowns trimmed with

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The bride is the former Pamela J. Darby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merwyn K. Darby, 51 Clark Road, Andover. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nichols of 69 Gould Road, Andover.

Dr. Otis Maxfield officiated at the 5:30 p.m. ceremony, and a reception followed at the Merrimack Valley Motor Inn, North Andover.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a Quiana gown with a beaded Mandarin neckline. A self-trained skirt flared from mid-waistline of the same beads and white maribou trimmed the long sleeves. A two-tier shoulder-length veil of French illusion was attached to a Juliette cap trimmed with Quiana and maribou.

She carried a bouquet of red roses, stephanotis and baby's breath.

Mrs. Diana Gould of Tewksbury served as matron of honor, and bridesmaids were Miss Arlene Thiel of Lowell and Mrs. Beverly Coombs of Bethel, Vt. They wore matching red gowns trimmed with maribou.

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and carried red and white colonial bouquets.

Stephen Miller of Salem, N.H., was best man for the groom, and ushers were Alden Sweet of Portsmouth, N.H., and Ernest Darby, the bride's brother, of Andover.

The new Mrs. Nichols, a graduate of Andover High School and Lowell State College, is an elementary school teacher in Tewksbury. Her husband graduated from Andover High and Plymouth State College, N.H., where he was a member of Kappa Delta Phi Fraternity. He teaches in Andover.

Following a honeymoon trip to the Bahamas, the couple will make their home in North Andover.

Red Cross Offers Courses

The Andover Red Cross announces two courses to be held in the immediate future.

Beginning March 26 and 30, History Interviewing at Bloodmobiles will be offered for registered nurses and licensed practical nurses. There are a limited number of registrations available for the latter date and persons should call Barbara Vayanos. This course gives 2.1

CEU credit. If one wishes, names may be placed on a waiting list, for classes given likewise at the chapter.

The second course will be at the Newburyport chapter, starting April 27, a 30 hour course divided into 5 sessions. It is Health In the Home, designed to train instructors of nurses aides and health aides. Registrations by nurses, teachers or persons in related fields are accepted. Further information regarding

these courses may be had by calling the Andover Red Cross before April 11. There will be a one-day orientation session for volunteers at the Greater Lawrence Chapter on Tuesday, March 23 from 9:30 to 2:30.

The purpose of the meeting is to acquaint volunteers with current trends and the total Red Cross responsibility. Mrs. Kim Fiske, executive director, Mrs. John Atanasoff and Mrs. Joseph Tavern will attend.

South Students Aid CARE

On Friday, March 5, sixth graders at South School participated in a fast to raise money for CARE. The idea originated in Mrs. Robinson's social studies class as an outgrowth of a study unit on India.

The children decided to give up a meal or a part of a meal for one lunchtime and donate the money they saved. To publicize the event, they hung up posters, sent home notices and made announcements on the school's public address system. The \$21.07 raised was mailed to CARE in New York.

Family Breakfast At West

Everyone is cordially invited to attend a Family Breakfast sponsored by the West School PTO. The breakfast will be held on Saturday, March 27, with sittings at 8:30 and 9:30. The menu will include: juice, eggs and ham, waffles and bacon, muffins, and beverages.

Door prizes and a special raffle will also be included at the breakfast.

The proceeds from this function will be used to support class field trips. For further information on reservations, call West Elementary School.

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Tax Aid Provided By Block

Income tax assistance is being provided by H. and R. Block at their 66 Main St. office in Andover.

The nationally known specialists in income tax preparation point out that there are many taxpayers who are not taking the new personal exemption credit and the earned income credit in filing their 1975 returns. The information is supported by the Internal Revenue Service in recent announcements concerning returns already processed by them.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 333069

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of FRANCES MONRO, otherwise known as FRANCES S. MONRO and FRANCES SUTTON MONRO late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for Probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by JOHN USHER MONRO of Birmingham in the State of Alabama, praying that he be appointed executor thereof, without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-second day of March 1976, the return day of this citation.

Witness, ALBERT P. PETTORUTO, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of February 1976.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register
March 4-11-18, 1976

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 333078

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of CHARLES C. TOWNE, JUNIOR late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for Probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by HELEN M. TOWNE of Andover in the County of Essex, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof, without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-second day of March 1976, the return day of this citation.

Witness, ALBERT P. PETTORUTO, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of February 1976.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register
March 4, 11, 18, 1976

Home Health Aide Course

A six-week day school program, "Home Health Aide" will be conducted at the Essex Agricultural and Technical Institute in April. The course will provide students with instruction in skills, techniques and general principles of adult hygiene care, home management, nutrition and meal planning for the family.

Upon completion of the course, students will be eligible for employment through home health agencies.

Those interested in registering should call or write Lucien A. Archambault, Director of Admissions, Essex Agricultural and Technical Institute, Hathorne, Mass., 01397 before April 2.

On Dean's List

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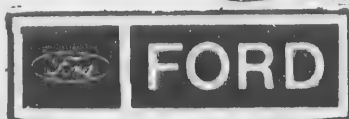
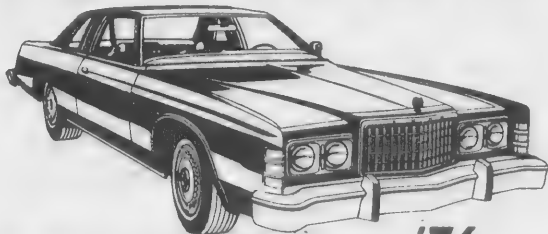
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Lawrence, January 19th, A.D., 1976
Essex, ss.

Taken on execution and will be sold at Public Auction on Thursday, April 22nd A.D., 1976 at 10 o'clock A.M. at my office, Suite 408, One Salem Green, Salem, Mass., in said County, all the right, title and interest which the within named Judgment Debtor, WILLIAM SINCLAIR, of North Andover, in said County had (not exempt by law from attachment or levy on execution) on the 19th day of January, A.D., 1976 at 50 minutes past eight o'clock A.M. being the time the same was seized and taken on execution in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

The land in North Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, being Lot No. 6 as shown on a plan hereinafter referred to and bounded and described as follows: Northerly by lot No. 5, as shown on said plan, 279.40 feet. Easterly by land now or formerly of Clyde Yeutter, et al, 164.05 feet. Southerly by Lot No. 7, as shown on said plan, 281.24 feet; and Westerly by the Easterly line of Brentwood Circle, 150.00 feet. Containing 44,000 square feet of land, more or less.

Meaning and intending to convey lot No. 6, as shown more substantially on a plan entitled "Definitive Plan of Brentwood Circle, North Andover, Massachusetts dated August 19, 1969, George E. Hayes, Reg. Engineer and recorded in the North District of Essex Registry of Deeds, as Plan no. 11000.

Being a part of the same premises conveyed to us as trustees by deed of ARTHUR A. COLLINS REALTY INC., and recorded in the North District of Essex, Registry of Deeds, Book 963, page 216.

CHARLES H. REARDON,
Deputy Sheriff

Execution of:
Thomas F. Sullivan vs. William Sinclair

Terms of Sale: CASH

CHARLES H. REARDON,
Deputy Sheriff
March 18, 25; April 1, 1976

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 333323

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of ANNA J. ZALLA, otherwise known as ANN J. ZALLA late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that EUGENE A. ZALLA, SENIOR of Andover in the County of Essex be appointed administrator of said estate without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twelfth day of April 1976, the return day of this citation.

Witness, ALBERT P. PETTORUTO, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of March 1976.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register
From the office of:
Greeley & Shea
2 Pumphard Ave.
Andover, Mass. 01810
March 18, 25; April 1, 1976

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 197812

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of WILLIAM A. ALLEN late of Andover in said County, deceased, for the benefit of EMMA L. ALLEN and others.

The seventh to sixteenth and final accounts, inclusive, of said trust have been presented to said Court for allowance.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the Twenty-ninth day of March 1976, the return day of this citation.

Witness, ALBERT P. PETTORUTO, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of February 1976.

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TOWN OF ANDOVER
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A public hearing will be held at THE HALL, SECOND MEMORIAL HALL, ANDOVER on APRIL 1, 1976, commencing at 7:30 P.M. of ALBERT COLE, Street, Andover for a the requirements of Article V.A. of the Zoning Ordinance permit the erection of age with less than the back.

Premises are located on STREET, ANDOVER. Residence A district. Assessors' Map 21 as ALBERT F.

Dates of Issue:
March 18 & 25, 1976



TOWN OF ANDOVER
PUBLIC HE

A public hearing will be held at THE HALL, SECOND MEMORIAL HALL, ANDOVER on THURSDAY, APRIL 1, 1976, commencing at 7:30 P.M. of the petition of R. ARSENAULT AND M. ARSENAULT, 48 Juliette Street, Andover for a variance requirements of Article V.A. of the Zoning By-Law subdivision of 1 lot, conforming lots with required amount of area.

Premises affected are JULIETTE STREET, a Single Residence A district on Assessors' Map 51 as ALBERT

Dates of Issue:
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
TOWN OF ANDOVER
Office of the Treasurer
NOTICE OF SALE
LAND OF LOW V

Notice is hereby given that, the Twelfth day of March, 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at Town Office 20 Main St., Andover, to the provisions of Chapter 60, Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 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LEGAL NOTICES



TOWN OF ANDOVER PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held in
THE HALL, SECOND FLOOR,
MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY,
ANDOVER on APRIL 1, 1976, com-
mencing at 7:30 P.M. on the petition
of ALBERT COLE, JR., 49 Pine
Street, Andover for a variance from
the requirements of Article VIII, Sec-
tion V.A. of the Zoning By-Law to
permit the erection of a one-stall gar-
age with less than the required set-
back.

Premises are located at 49 PINE
STREET, ANDOVER in a Single
Residence A district and shown on
Assessors' Map 21 as Lot 124.

ALBERT F. CULLEN, JR.,
Chairman
Board of Appeals

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TOWN OF ANDOVER PUBLIC HEARING

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A public hearing will be held in
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ARSENault, 48 Juliette Street, An-
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subdivision of 1 lot, creating 2 non-
conforming lots with less than the
required amount of frontage and arca.

Premises affected are located at 48
JULIETTE STREET, ANDOVER in a
Single Residence A district, shown
on Assessors' Map 51 as Lot 102.

ALBERT F. CULLEN,
Chairman
Board of Appeals

Dates of Issue:
March 18 & 25, 1976



Commonwealth of Massachusetts TOWN OF ANDOVER Office of the Treasurer NOTICE OF SALE LAND OF LOW VALUE

March 18, 1976

Notice is hereby given that on Mon-
day, the Twelfth day of April, 1976, at
10 o'clock A.M., at Town Treasurers
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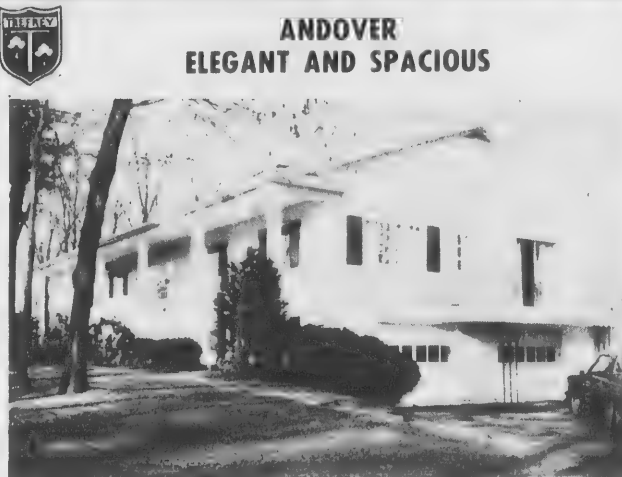
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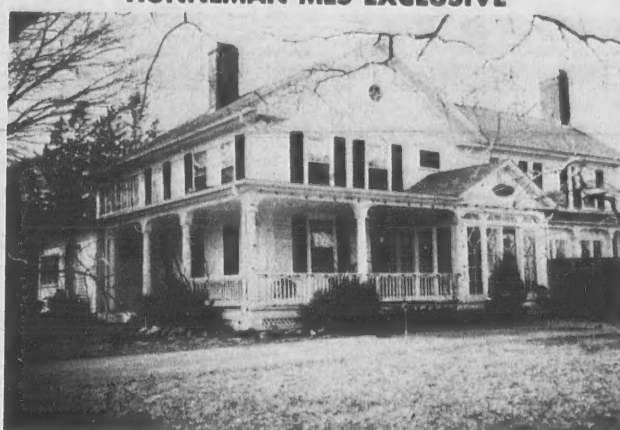


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Post Office

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and proposed expansion of the present post office site.

White has not heard from the postal authorities relative to his Andover street property on which the post office has a lease purchase agreement.

A meeting was scheduled for Memorial Hall Library last night to which Walker had been invited along with representatives of Congressman Tsongas' office, local and state officials.

Members of the Andover League of Women Voters announced this week that they would provide petitions at the town's six polling places on Monday, asking that voters sign and register their objection to the removal of the post office from the downtown business area.

Postal officials have said that a downtown service area will be retained for the sale of stamps and processing of parcel post, when the new facility is built.

The present building, recently renovated, will be abandoned, according to the plans announced last fall.

Election

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retain the seat in the race where two are to be elected.

Also seeking election are Joseph A. Finn, production control manager; Atty. Paul L. Kenny, town counsel in Danvers; Casimir J. Kolaski, community planning and development representative for HUD; David B. Leonard, student and Robert P. Najjar, bur-sar at Northeastern University.

In the contest for membership on the regional vocational school board, former Voke School Director James Booth and John P. Childs, an instructor at Shawshen Regional Voke School seek the spot being vacated by Fred S. Tarbox, who is not seeking re-election.

A question on the ballot asks the voters to decide whether the engineering department in the town should be removed from civil service status.

Moderator William A. Dalton is running unopposed in his bid for re-election, as is Housing Authority member Thomas P. Eldred.

Candidates Forum Today

A candidates forum will be conducted this afternoon by the Andover Chamber of Commerce at the Andover Inn from 4 to 6 p.m.

There will be a get acquainted coffee from 4 to 4:30 p.m. followed by brief statements from the candidates for Andover town offices.

A question and answer period will follow from 5 to 6 p.m.

Also to be elected are the Trustees of Punchard Free School who include Arthur W. Cole, Fred W. Doyle, William V. Emmons, Malcolm J. Rühl and Harry Sellars.

Voters in Precinct Four are asked to use the High Plain entrance to the West Elementary School polling place in order to avoid dangers to the school children during the regular school day.

Other voting locations, where the usual electronic punch cards will be used for voting, are: Precinct One - Free Church, Elm Street; Precinct Two - Andover Baptist Church, Central Street; Precinct Three - Cardinal Cushing Gymnasium, Haverhill Street; Precinct Five - Ballard Vale United Church; and Precinct Six - Peabody House, Phillips Academy.

Storm

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minor fender-benders.

The most difficult part of the storm, as far as Andover is concerned, seems to be in paying for the storm clearance operations.

It has been a difficult winter for the snow removal and storm budget, and the account was pretty well exhausted before the Tuesday snowfall. Earlier town manager J. Maynard Austin had indicated that if problems arose with storms, either the Finance Committee would be requested to transfer funds, or town meeting would be asked to approve a supplemental appropriation.

For the most part crews were on the move early with sand and salt, converting to plowing operations early to keep ahead of the foot of snow which fell throughout the evening and early morning hours.

A mixture of rain with the snow made plowing difficult, but the early start aided im-

measurably.

For motorists who decided winter was over and removed snow tires, the storm provided some difficult problems in negotiating, particularly on side or lesser travelled streets.

Tuesday night's scheduled selectmen's meeting was postponed to tonight at the conference room of the town house, while the school committee meeting, also scheduled for Tuesday, was postponed.

Consolation of the Tuesday storm is that this is New England and fluctuating weather conditions promised that after the Wednesday afternoon clouds passed, there would be warmer weather to deplete the remnants of winter on Thursday.

Further, Spring is scheduled to arrive, amid the blossoming crocuses on Monday.

Leaders' Club

A new Junior Girl Gym Leaders' Club has been organized at the Andover-North Andover YMCA with Physical Director Janet R. Mead serving as advisor. The club membership includes girls interested in receiving training in all aspects of gymnastics program and who assist in programs for younger girls. This club is expected to be first of several leaders' clubs developed in the various program specialty areas of the YMCA. The group is presently involved with basic training and development of by-laws. Officers have been elected as follows: president, Janet Moreau; vice-president, Susan Lasman; secretary-treasurer, Betsy Anderson; chaplain, Luanne Giannone.

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A surprisingly low vote produced a history school committee decision which could result in a recount under Andover computer balloting system.

Joseph Finn was elected one of the two seats open school committee by two over Casimir Kolaski, a 5,391 ballots had tabulated.

Kolaski said Wednesday "weighing heavily possibility of calling a recount and had ob-



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